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PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

(Public.)

PERSONAL STAFF.

APPOINTMENTS.

Fort St. George, December 4, 1916.

No. 468.—His Excellency the Governor is pleased to make the following appointments on his Personal Staff :—

Captain Lionel Meredith Pest, 6th Jat Light Infantry, to officiate as Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Governor with effect from the forenoon of the 19th October 1916, *vice* Captain Ernest Henry Gilpin, 1st Battalion, Durham Light Infantry, vacated.

Lieutenant John Eaton Monins, 1-4th Battalion, the Buffs, Extra Aide-de-Camp, to officiate as Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Governor with effect from the forenoon of the 30th October 1916 to the afternoon of the 16th November 1916, *vice* Lionel Bell Gasson, Esq., Indian Police, vacated and thereafter to continue as Extra Aide-de-Camp.

Lieutenant Dudley Lancelot Guy Carleton-Smith, 1st (King's) Dragoon Guards, to officiate as Aide-de-Camp to His Excellency the Governor with effect from the forenoon of the 17th November 1916, *vice* Lieutenant John Eaton Monins, 1-4th Battalion, the Buffs, reverted to Extra Aide-de-Camp.

PROMOTIONS.

Fort St. George, December 5, 1916.

No. 469.—The following permanent promotions are ordered with effect from the 15th November 1916, consequent on the appointment of the Hon'ble Mr. H. F. W. Gillman, I.C.S., as Member of Council :—

(1) The Hon'ble Mr. James Perch Bedford, I.C.S., to be Fourth Member, Board of Revenue, and to continue to act as Secretary to Government, Revenue Department.

(2) Mr. Alexander Robertson Cumming, I.C.S., to be Collector and District Magistrate, first grade.

(3) Mr. Archibald Young Gippa Campbell, C.I.E., I.C.S., to be Collector and District Magistrate, second grade.

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(4) Mr. Alexander Robert Loftus Tottenham, I.C.S., to be Collector and District Magistrate, third grade.
(5) Mr. Arthur Marie Agricola Collier Galletti-di-Cadilhac, I.C.S., to be Sub-Collector and Joint Magistrate, first grade.
(6) Mr. Vombatkere Pandurang Rao, I.C.S., to be Sub-Collector and Joint Magistrate, second grade.
(7) Mr. Henry Sapwith Shield, I.C.S. (seconded), to be Sub-Collector and Joint Magistrate, third grade.
(8) Mr. Theodore James Tasker, I.C.S., to be Sub-Collector and Joint Magistrate, third grade.

TRANSFERS.

Fort St. George, December 2, 1916.

No. 469.—The following transfers of District and Sessions Judges are ordered:—
(i) M.R.Ry. Rao Bahadur Conjeevaram Krishnaswami Rao Avargal, on relief in Nellore, to Guntur.
[This cancels Public Department notification No. 448 (S), dated the 20th November 1916, published on page 1376 of Part I of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated the 21st November 1916, transferring Mr. C. Krishnaswami Rao to South Canara.]
(ii) M.R.Ry. Coimbatore Krishna Rao Srinivasa Rao Avargal, from Guntur to South Canara.

VOLUNTEERS.

Fort St. George, November 28, 1916.

TRANSFER.

Malabar Volunteer Rifles.

No. 461.—Major Hugh Reid Lockie is transferred from the supernumerary to the active list—To remain supernumerary to the establishment pending absorption in the first vacancy, dated the 30th August 1916.

NOTIFICATION.

Fort St. George, November 29, 1916.

No. 462.—The following notifications of the Government of India are republished:—

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

(Commerce and Trade.)

Simla, the 22nd November 1916.

In exercise of the powers conferred on him by section 7 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct (i) that the shares in the Sankara Mining Syndicate, Limited, specified below, together with the dividends, interest, etc., due in respect thereof, belonging to or held by Messrs. George Illgen, E. Ludwig, M. Mierosh and Mrs. Luise Held, hostile foreigners within the meaning of the said Act, be vested in the Custodian of Enemy Property, Madras, and (ii) that the said Custodian shall have power to sell the said shares and dispose of the proceeds in such manner as the Government of Madras may direct:—

Description of shares.

Name.	Number of shares now held.	Distinctive numbers of the shares.	Present value of each share.
			Rs.
1. George Illgen	163	7—13 164—219 230—233 1369—1398	100
2. E. Ludwig	28	1—3 104—123	100
3. M. Mierosh	10	219—228 44—53	100
4. Mrs. Luise Held	99	1369—1398	100

NOTIFICATION,

Simla, the 4th November 1916.

No. 16303-W.-II.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 5 of the Enemy Trading Act, 1916 (X of 1916), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to make the following amendments in the Enemy Trading (Winding up) Order, 1916, published with this Department's Notification (Commerce and Trade) No. 6200-W.-II, dated the 22nd July 1916, as subsequently amended namely:—

For rule 14 *substitute* the following rule:—

"14.—In a winding up under the Ordinance no provision, save in accordance with the general or special orders of the Governor-General in Council, is to be made for the payment by way of dividend or otherwise of the claims of creditors who are hostile foreigners or hostile firms."

and in rule 29, *for* the words "Next.—The dividend . . . admitted" *substitute* the words—"Next.—Subject to the provisions of rule 14 the dividend payable to creditors whose proofs have been admitted."

L. DAVIDSON,
Acting Chief Secretary.

(Marine.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Fort St. George, November 20, 1916.

No. 68.—Under the provisions of sections 1 and 6 of the Madras Outports Landing and Shipping Fees Act, 1885 (III of 1885), as amended by the Madras Decentralization Act VIII of 1914, the Governor in Council hereby notifies that, on and after the 15th January 1917 fees at the following rates will be levied on cargo landed from or shipped into any vessel lying or being within the limits of the port of Adirampatam in the district of Tanjore in supersession of the rates prescribed for that port in the consolidated schedule published in the notification of the Marine Department No. 60, dated the 9th October 1911 on pages 985 to 1000 of Part I of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated the 24th October 1911, and that the said fees shall be assessed and paid in accordance with the following rules which supersede all rules previously issued under section 6 of the said Act for observance at the port of Adirampatam.

Rates.

No. of item.	Article.	Unit of charge.	Rate of landing and shipping dues.			No. of item.	Article.	Unit of charge.	Rate of landing and shipping dues.		
			Rs.	A.	P.				Rs.	A.	P.
1	Accumulators	Ton	0	4	0	47	Bananas, bunch, bunches ..	Ton	0	4	0
2	Acids	,,	0	4	0	48	Baskets, fancy, worsted and knitting wool	Package	0	2	0
3	Aerated and mineral waters.	Case	0	2	0	49	Betel nuts	Ton	0	5	0
4	Agricultural implements ..	Ton	0	4	0	50	Bicycles in cases or crates ..	,,	0	5	0
5	Ale, bottled	Case	0	3	0	51	,, motor, single ..	Case	0	4	0
6	,, in bulk	Ton	0	3	0	52	,, ,, two or more in one case ..	,,	0	6	0
7	Alumina Oxide in casks ..	,,	0	4	0	53	,, parts and accessories	Ton	0	6	0
8	,, in casks of bags ..	,,	0	4	0	54	Birds, caged	Dozen	0	4	0
9	Alkali	,,	0	4	0	55	Biscuits	Ton	0	4	0
10	Almonds	,,	0	4	0	56	Blankets	Package	0	2	0
11	Aloe fibre	,,	0	4	0	57	Blasting powder	Ton	0	4	0
12	Alum	,,	0	4	0	58	Blocks or slabs, marble ..	,,	0	4	0
13	Aluminium wire	,,	0	4	0	59	Boards, deal, mill and straw.	,,	0	4	0
14	Ammunition	,,	0	4	0	60	Boats, logistors, launches, etc.	,,	0	4	0
15	Anchors	,,	0	4	0	61	Boilers and locomotives ..	,,	0	4	0
16	Aniline salt in cases ..	,,	0	4	0	62	Boiler composition	,,	0	4	0
17	,, in casks or bags	,,	0	4	0	63	Bolts and nuts in casks or bags	,,	0	4	0
18	Animal and vegetable manure	,,	0	4	0	64	Bones or horns, cut	,,	0	4	0
19	Animals in cages, small ..	Each case	0	2	0	65	Books and printed matter ..	,,	0	4	0
20	,, with, unspecified ..	,,	1	0	0	66	Boots and shoes	Package	0	1	0
21	Anvils	Package	0	2	0	67	Boot polish and dressings ..	Ton	1	4	0
22	Apparel and effects	Bale	0	2	0	68	Borax	,,	0	4	0
23	Areca nuts	Ton	0	4	0	69	Bottles or phials, empty ..	Package	0	2	0
24	Arms	,,	0	4	0	70	Brass horns, empty ..	,,	0	8	0
25	Arrack Calcutta	Cask	1	0	0	71	Brandy	Tub	0	4	0
26	Arrowroot	Ton	0	4	0	72	Brass	,,	0	5	0
27	Arsenic and other poisons ..	,,	0	8	0	73	Brass ingots, bars, plates, tubes, etc.	,,	0	8	0
28	Asafœtida or hing	,,	0	8	0	74	Brassware	,,	0	8	0
29	Asbestos goods	,,	0	4	0	75	Breech, fire or capsule, and bush	,,	0	4	0
30	Ashes, coal	,,	0	4	0	76	Bricks or tiles, country ..	,,	0	4	0
31	Asphalt	,,	0	4	0	77	Brimstone or sulphur ..	,,	0	4	0
32	Axles and wheels	,,	0	4	0	78	Broken glass	Package	0	1	0
33	Ball thread	,,	0	4	0	79	Brooms	Ton	0	4	0
34	Bangles, beads or imitation jewellery	Package	0	2	0	80	Brushes	,,	0	4	0
35	Bark, tanning	Ton	0	4	0	81	Buckets, galvanised ..	,,	0	4	0
36	Baskets	,,	0	4	0	82	Buffalo horns	,,	0	4	0
37	Bath bricks	,,	0	4	0	83	Building materials, unspecified	,,	0	4	0
38	Beads, bangles or imitation jewellery	Package	0	2	0	84	Bulbs, imitation, diamond.	,,	0	0	6
39	Beans	Each	1	0	0	85	Bullion	Each Package	0	1	0
40	Bedsteads	Ton	0	4	0				0	0	0
41	Beer in bulk	,,	0	3	0						
42	,, bottled	Case	0	3	0						
43	Bees' wax	Ton	0	8	0						
44	Bellows	,,	0	4	0						
45	Belting	,,	0	4	0						
46	Benjamin (silturn)	,,	0	4	0						

No. of item	Article.	Unit of charge.	Rate of landing and shipping dues.		
			Rs.	A.	P.
87	Cobles	Ton.	3	4	0
88	Cakes, oil	"	0	4	0
89	Coffee	Each	0	1	0
90	Camp equipage	Ton.	6	4	0
91	Camphor	"	0	4	0
92	Carillon	"	0	4	0
93	Carvai	"	3	4	0
94	Cardamoms	"	3	4	0
95	Cardboard	"	0	8	0
96	Cardboard cigarette	"	0	4	0
97	Cards, playing	Case.	0	2	0
98	Cards, show	Ton	0	4	0
99	Carpets	"	0	4	0
100	Carriages, four wheeled	Package.	0	2	0
100A.	" two wheeled	Each	1	0	0
101	Carriage parts and accessories	Ton.	1	0	0
102	Cars, motor, completely fitted up valued at under Rs 6,000.	Each	0	0	0
103	Cars, motor, completely fitted up valued at Rs 6,000 and over.	"	16	0	0
104	Chank	Ton.	0	4	0
105	Coils, dry	"	0	4	0
106	Cement	"	0	8	0
107	Chaff	"	0	4	0
108	Chanam	"	0	4	0
109	Chalk	"	0	4	0
110	Chankay, soapnuts, and soap substitutes.	"	0	0	0
111	Chandelier	"	0	8	0
112	Chemical manures	"	0	4	0
113	Chillies	"	0	4	0
114	Chinaware and glass, glass	Package.	0	2	0
115	China marbles	Ton.	1	3	0
116	Chinaware	Package.	0	3	0
117	Chunam or lime	Ton.	0	4	0
118	Cigarettes and beedies	Case	0	4	0
119	Cigarette boxes, wood	"	0	3	0
120	Cigarette cardboard	"	0	3	0
121	Cigars and cheroots	"	1	3	0
122	Cinchona	"	0	3	0
123	Circus bills and theatrical materials.	Ton.	0	4	0
124	Clay, China	"	0	0	0
125	" Fire	"	0	4	0
126	" Pipe	"	0	4	0
127	Clocks and watches	"	0	4	0
128	Cloth, waste	Package.	0	4	0
129	Clothes	Ton.	0	4	0
130	Coal	Case or Bale.	0	3	0
131	" ashes	Ton.	0	4	0
132	Cochineal in cases	"	0	4	0
133	Cocoanuts	"	0	4	0
134	Do. loose	"	0	1	0
135	Coffee in bags	Bag.	0	0	0
136	" in casks	1000 Ton.	0	4	0
137	Coir, fibre	"	0	4	0
138	" yarn	"	0	4	0
139	Coke	"	0	4	0
140	Colours, dyes and paints in cases.	"	0	4	0
141	Colours, dyes and paints in kegs or casks.	"	0	4	0
142	Confectionary and cabman's stores	"	0	4	0
143	Copper sheathing nails, bandyka	"	0	4	0
144	Copper bail	"	3	4	0
145	Copper ingots, bars plates, tubes, etc.	"	3	4	0
146	Copperas	"	0	4	0
147	Copperware	"	0	4	0
148	Copra	Bag.	0	4	0
149	Coral, red	Ton.	0	1	0
150	Corks	"	0	4	0
151	Corn flour	"	0	4	0
152	Corrugated iron	"	0	4	0
153	Corundum	"	0	4	0
154	Cotton (piece-goods)	Bale or case.	0	0	0
155	Cotton bales	Ton.	0	4	0
156	Cotton seed	"	0	3	0
157	" twist and yarn, country.	"	0	4	0
158	Cotton twist and yarn, foreign	"	0	4	0
158A	Country salt	"	0	4	0
160	Cow horns	"	0	4	0
161	Cows	Each.	0	2	0
162	Cows, yoke or in milk	Ton.	0	4	0
163	Crackers	Package.	0	4	0
164	Craft, floating	Ton.	0	4	0
165	Crockery or earthenware, fireproof.	"	0	4	0
166	Crotchet thread	"	0	4	0
167	Crowbars	"	0	4	0
168	Crucibles	"	0	4	0
169	Crushed fodder or nuts	"	0	4	0
170	Curios and works of art	"	0	4	0
171	Cutch	"	0	4	0
172	Cuttle fish	"	0	4	0
173	Cutlery	Package.	0	2	0
174	Cyanide	Ton.	0	4	0
175	Damarone	"	0	4	0
176	Deer horns	"	0	4	0
177	Dhal or moong	"	0	4	0
178	Dies and stocks	"	0	2	0
179	Dividivi	"	0	4	0
180	Dogs, monkeys, loose	Each.	0	1	0
181	" in hamper	"	0	2	0
182	Dog-spikes	Ton.	0	4	0
183	Donkeys and mules	Each.	0	4	0
184	Drawing Leaf	Ton.	0	4	0
185	Drugs	"	0	4	0
186	Dry salts	"	0	4	0
187	Dry fish	"	0	4	0
188	Dyes and paints in cases	"	0	8	0
189	Dyes and paints in kegs or casks.	"	0	4	0
190	Dynamite	"	0	4	0
191	Earthenware, foreign	"	0	4	0
192	" country	"	0	8	0
193	" pipes	"	0	4	0
194	Eau-de-cologne	Package.	0	2	0
195	Effects and apparel	Bale.	0	0	0
196	" personal	"	0	0	0
197	" with owners	"	0	0	0
198	Eggs in pots	Per 100.	0	2	0
199	Electric equipment	Ton.	0	0	0
200	Elephants	Each.	0	4	0
201	Empty bottles or phials	Package.	3	0	0
202	" horse boxes	Each.	0	2	0
203	Empty oil casks	Ton.	0	0	0
204	Empties	"	0	4	0
205	Enamelled or galvanised ware.	"	0	4	0
206	Explosives	Package.	0	8	0
207	Farina (ground corn)	Ton.	0	4	0
208	Fibre, palmyra or coir	"	0	4	0
209	Fibre, aloe, jute, flax or hemp.	"	0	4	0
210	Flint	"	0	4	0
211	Fins, shark	Package.	0	2	0
212	Firebricks, firebricks	Ton.	0	0	0
213	Firefly	"	0	4	0
214	Firewood	"	0	4	0
215	Fish, country	Two of 20 cwt.	0	2	0
216	" salted	Ton.	0	0	0
217	" sutlis	"	3	0	0
218	" dry	"	0	4	0
219	Fishplates, fishbolts, etc.	"	0	4	0
220	Fittings, gas	"	0	4	0
221	Flannel	"	0	4	0
222	Flax, fibre	Package.	0	2	0
223	Fleshings, hides or skins	Package.	0	4	0
224	Floating craft	Ton.	0	2	0
225	Flour, corn	"	0	8	0
226	Flour, or tonjee	"	0	4	0

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			Rs.	A.	P.				Rs.	A.	P.
227	Fodder, crushed or oats ..	Ton	0	5	0	293	Imitation bangles	Package.	0	0	0
228	Fog signals	,,	0	4	0	296	Implements, agricultural ..	Ton.	0	4	0
229	Foils, copper	,,	0	4	0	297	Indigo, paste and sweepage	,,	0	4	0
230	Forging steel	,,	0	4	0	298	Instruments, musical ..	,,	0	4	0
231	Fruits in baskets	Basket	0	1	0	299	,, scientific ..	Case.	0	8	0
232	,, Jack, loose ..	Per 100	2	0	0	300	Iron and steel bars, beams, girders, plates, sheets, pipes, hoops, wire, corrugated, etc.	Ton	0	4	0
233	,, Mangoes, loose ..	Per 1,000.	0	2	0			,,	0	4	0
234	Fuel, liquid	Ton.	0	8	0						
235	Fuel, patent	,,	0	4	0						
236	Furniture	,,	0	4	0	301	Iron or steel joists ..	,,	0	4	0
237	Gallingal	,,	0	4	0	302	,, sleepers ..	,,	0	4	0
238	Gall nuts	,,	0	4	0	303	,, tubes ..	,,	0	5	0
239	Galvanised or enamelled wire.	,,	0	4	0	304	Iron safes and shields ..	,,	0	4	0
						305	,, sulphate ..	,,	0	4	0
240	Gums and their resinates,	,,	0	4	0	306	Ivory and ivory ware ..	,,	0	4	0
241	Gunja and bang	,,	0	4	0	307	Jaggery and molasses ..	,,	0	4	0
242	Gutta	,,	0	4	0	308	Jewellery and trinkets, imitation	Package.	0	4	0
243	Gut fittings	,,	0	4	0						
244	,, in steel bottles	,,	0	4	0	309	Jutaia, iron or steel	Ton.	0	4	0
245	Gunges, glass	Package.	0	3	0	310	Jute, fibre	,,	0	4	0
246	,, pressed	Ton	0	4	0						
247	Hammer, silver sheets, wares and wire.	,,	0	4	0	311	Kerosine oil in bulk	,,	0	4	0
248	Ghee	,,				312	,, in cases	Case.	0	1	0
249	Ginger, raw and dried ..	,,	0	4	0	313	,, in tins	,,	0	0	8
250	Girders, iron or steel ..	,,	0	4	0	314	Knitting fancy, worsted or Berlin wool.	Package.	0	2	0
251	Glass, broken	,,	0	4	0						
252	,, in cases	Package.	0	3	0	315	Knitting thread	Ton.	0	4	0
253	,, globes and chimneys, glass.	,,	0	2	0						
254	,, plate or sheet ..	,,	0	1	0	316	Lac	,,	0	4	0
255	,, tiles and for sky-lights.	,,	0	2	0	317	,, sticks	,,	0	4	0
						318	Lace, gold or silver	,,	0	4	0
256	,, window	,,	0	2	0	319	,, imitation ..	Package.	0	2	0
257	Glassware	,,	0	2	0	320	Lamella, imitation	,,	0	2	0
258	Glazed tiles	,,	0	3	0	321	Lamp black	Ton.	0	4	0
259	Globes and chimneys, glass.	,,	0	2	0	322	Lampware without glass ..	,,	0	4	0
260	Glue	,,	0	2	0	323	Launches, lighters and boats	,,	0	4	0
261	Goats or sheep	Ton.	0	4	0	324	Lead	,,	0	4	0
262	Gold and silver thread, imitation.	Each.	0	0	8	325	,, bed	,,	0	4	0
		Package.	0	8	0	326	,, shot	,,	0	4	0
263	Gold and silver lace, thread, ware, lost wire and jewellery.	,,	0	0	0	327	,, white	,,	0	4	0
						328	Leather goods	,,	0	4	0
264	Goods, asbestos	Ton.	0	4	0	329	Leaves	Package.	0	1	0
265	,, leather	Package.	0	1	0	330	,, betel	Ton.	0	4	0
266	,, rubber	Ton	0	4	0	331	Leopards, hyenas, cheetah ..	,,	1	0	0
267	Goods, unenumerated ..	,,	0	4	0	332	Lighters, boats, launches ..	Each.	0	8	0
268	Grains	,,	0	4	0	333	Limestone	Ton.	0	4	0
269	Grass	,,	0	4	0	334	Lion antigen	Each.	1	0	0
270	Grindstones and millstones.	,,	0	4	0	335	Liquid fuel	Ton.	0	4	0
271	Ground-nuts	,,	0	4	0	336	Liquor in bulk	,,	0	8	0
272	Gums and resins	,,	0	4	0	337	Liquors in cases	Case.	0	3	0
273	Gunnies	,,	0	4	0	338	Locomotives and boilers ..	Ton.	0	4	0
274	,, O'2	,,	0	0	8						
275	Haberdashery	,,	0	0	8	339	Mats	,,	0	8	0
276	Hair of all descriptions ..	,,	0	0	0	340	Machinery, parts and accessories of.	,,	0	4	0
277	Hammers	,,	0	4	0	341	Mail	,,			
278	Hardware, loose or in bundles.	Package.	0	2	0	342	Mandoline	Package.	0	3	0
		,,	0	4	0	343	Manure, animal and vegetable.	Ton.	0	4	0
279	Hardware, domestic, packed	,,	0	2	0	344	Manure, chemical	,,	0	4	0
280	,, non-domestic packed.	,,	0	2	0	345	Marble slabs or blocks ..	,,	0	4	0
						346	,, mixed	,,	0	4	0
281	Hats	Ton.	0	6	0	347	Marbles, China, for playing.	Package.	0	2	0
282	Hay, pressed or unpressed ..	,,	0	6	0	348	Matches	Case.	0	3	0
283	Hemp fibre	,,	0	4	0	349	Materials, building	Ton.	0	4	0
284	Hides or skins, tanned ..	Package.	0	1	0	350	,, photo	,,	0	8	0
285	,, Bobbings ..	,,	0	1	0	351	,, railway	,,	0	8	0
286	,, raw and salted	,,	0	1	0	352	,, telegraph ..	,,	0	4	0
						353	Mats	Bundle.	0	1	0
287	Hing or asafœtida	Ton.	0	4	0	354	Mattresses	,,	0	1	0
288	Honey	,,	0	4	0	355	Medicine	Ton.	0	4	0
289	Hops	,,	0	4	0	356	Merchandise	,,	0	4	0
290	Horns and hartsmeal, deer, ring and silk.	,,	0	4	0	357	Mercury in bottles	Case.	0	4	0
						358	Metals, unenumerated ..	Ton.	0	4	0
291	Horns, cow, buffalo and unpressed.	,,	0	4	0	359	Metal, polish	,,	0	4	0
						360	Mica in cases	,,	0	4	0
292	Horse boxes, empty	Each	0	8	0	361	,, powder, refuse and scrapings.	,,	0	4	0
293	Horses, ponies, camels ..	,,	0	8	0						
294	Imitation jewellery and trinkets.	Package.	0	0	0	368	Milk	,,	0	4	0
						369	Mill board	,,	0	4	0
						370	Mill stones	,,	0	4	0

No. of item.	Article.	Unit of charge.	Rate of landing and shipping dues. Rs.	A.	P.
385	Millinery	Case.	2	4	0
2-6	Mineral and aerated waters.	"	0	2	0
387	Molasses	Ton.	3	4	0
388	Mooring or float	"	0	3	0
389	Motor bicycles, single ..	Case.	0	4	0
390	" two or more in a case.	"	0	8	0
391	Motor-cars completely fitted up as and for duty purposes at under Rs. 4,000 for the contents of the case.	Each.	5	0	0
392	Motor-cars, complete fitted up with for duty purposes at Rs. 4,000 and over for the contents of the case.	"	10	0	0
393	Motor-car and motor cycle parts and accessories.	Ton.	0	8	0
394	Motor spirit	"	4	0	0
395	Mouldings, steel iron. ..	"	0	4	0
396	" (picture frame.)	"	0	4	0
397	Mules	Each.	0	12	0
398	Musical instruments ..	Case.	4	0	0
399	Myrobolans	Ton.	0	4	0
400	Nails, copper	Keg.	0	1	0
401	" iron or brass	"	0	1	0
402	Newspapers, all	Bale.	0	3	0
403	Nickelware and ornaments.	Package.	0	6	0
404	Nuts, areca	Ton.	0	5	0
405	" betel	"	0	4	0
406	" gall	"	0	4	0
407	" ground	"	0	5	0
408	Nutmegs	"	0	6	0
409	Nux-vomica	"	0	4	0
410	Oats, or crushed fodder .	Ton	0	4	0
411	Oil in cases	Case.	0	1	0
412	" in casks or drums	Drum or cask.	0	2	0
413	Oil-cakes	Ton.	0	4	0
414	Oil cases, empty	"	0	4	0
415	Oil cloth	"	0	4	0
416	Oilmen's stores and sundry.	"	0	4	0
417	Oil-seeds	"	0	3	0
418	Old garments	"	0	6	0
419	Onions	"	0	4	0
420	Opium	"	0	1	0
421	Orris	"	0	8	0
422	Paddy	"	0	4	0
423	Paints, dyes and colour in cases.	"	0	4	0
424	Paints, in kegs or casks ..	"	0	4	0
425	Palmyra fibre	"	0	4	0
426	Palmyra rafters	"	0	4	0
427	Paper	"	0	4	0
428	Paper, news	Bale.	0	2	0
429	Parasols and umbrellas ..	"	0	2	0
430	Patent, crown and petroleum fuel.	Package.	0	4	0
431	Pearls, unset	Box.	0	4	0
432	Peas	"	0	4	0
433	Pepper	"	0	3	0
434	Perfumes	"	0	4	0
435	Personal effects	Package.	0	3	0
436	" with owners ..	"	0	3	0
437	Petrol and motor spirit ..	Ton.	0	4	0
438	Phenyle and disinfectants ..	"	0	9	0
439	Drums or bottles, empty ..	Package.	0	4	0
440	Photo materials excluding acids.	Ton.	0	2	0
441	Pianos, pianolas, reed organs, etc.	Case.	4	6	0
442	Pickles	"	0	4	0
443	Picture frames	Package	0	2	0
444	Pipe-goods	Ton.	0	4	0
445	Pipes	Bale.	0	3	0
446	Pipes, clay	Each.	0	1	0
		Ton.	0	4	0

No. of item.	Article.	Unit of charge.	Rate of landing and shipping dues. Rs.	A.	P.
447	Pipes, earthenware, stoneware, drainage	Ton	0	4	0
448	Plush	"	0	4	0
449	Plants	"	0	4	0
450	Plate glass, pure glass ..	Package.	0	2	0
451	Plates, tin	Ton	0	4	0
452	Playing cards	"	0	4	0
453	Pliers	"	0	4	0
454	Plumbago	"	0	4	0
455	Polish, boot	"	0	4	0
456	" metal, knife	"	0	4	0
457	Porcelain ware	"	0	4	0
458	Porous pots	"	0	4	0
459	Potash	"	0	4	0
460	Potatoes	"	0	4	0
461	Pots, copper, cooking ..	"	0	4	0
462	Printers	"	0	4	0
463	Powder, bleaching	Drums.	0	4	0
464	Prawns	Tin.	0	4	0
465	Preservatories	"	0	5	0
466	Pressure gauges	Package.	0	6	0
467	Printing type	Ton	0	4	0
468	Printed matter and books ..	"	0	4	0
469	Printing requisites ..	"	0	4	0
470	Provisions	"	0	4	0
471	Pulleys	"	0	4	0
472	Pulses or cereals	"	0	4	0
473	Pumice-stone	"	0	2	0
474	Quicksilver in bottles ..	Case.	0	4	0
475	Rafters, palmyra	Ton.	0	4	0
476	Rails and rail fastenings ..	"	0	4	0
477	Railway materials	"	0	4	0
478	Rattan	"	0	4	0
479	Red lead	"	0	4	0
480	Red wood	"	0	4	0
481	Requisites, piano	"	0	4	0
482	" printing	"	0	4	0
483	" stocking	"	0	4	0
484	" toilet	"	0	4	0
485	Resins and gums	"	0	4	0
486	Rice	"	0	3	0
487	Riddles	"	0	4	0
488	Rivets, iron or brass ..	"	0	4	0
489	Rock salt	"	0	4	0
490	Roller stones	"	0	4	0
491	Rope, cotton, hemp, coir ..	"	0	4	0
492	Roses	"	0	4	0
493	Rubber goods	"	0	4	0
494	Rufus, iron	"	0	3	0
495	Sago	"	0	4	0
496	Sal ammoniac	"	0	4	0
497	Salt, sailing in cases ..	"	0	4	0
498	" sailing in casks or kegs	"	0	4	0
499	" rock and country ..	"	0	4	0
500	" tubs in tins or cases ..	"	0	4	0
501	" salted fish	"	0	3	0
502	Saltpetre or nitre	"	0	4	0
503	Sand	"	0	4	0
504	Sandalwood	"	0	4	0
505	Saws	"	0	4	0
506	Scientific instruments ..	Package	0	2	0
507	Screws, copper	Ton.	0	4	0
508	" iron or brass, in casks, kegs or bags.	Package.	0	1	0
509	Sea shells	"	0	1	0
510	Seeds, cotton	Ton.	0	4	0
511	" oil	"	0	3	0
512	" other than oil ..	"	0	3	0
513	Senna leaves	"	0	4	0
514	Shark fins	"	0	4	0
515	Sharp or gouts	"	0	4	0
516	Shells, sea	"	0	6	0
517	Shoes and boots	Each.	0	0	6
518	Shooks and staves of barrels and casks.	Ton.	0	4	0
519	Shot and empty shell	Package.	0	1	0
520	Shovels	Ton.	0	4	0
521	Show cards	"			
522	Signals, fog	Package.	0	4	0
523	Silk manufactures	Ton.	0	2	0
		"	0	4	0
		Package.	0	4	0
			0	0	0

No. of item	Article	Unit of charge	Rate of landing and shipping dues. Rs.	A.	P.
603a	Silk raw, twist and yarn ..	Ton	0	4	0
604	,, waste	,,	0	4	0
605	Silver and gold lace, imitation.	Package	0	0	6
606	Silver and gold wire, thread, lace and jewellery.	,,	0	8	0
607	Sinews	Ton	0	4	6
608	Skins or hides, tanned ..	Package	0	1	0
609	,, dressings ..	,,	0	1	0
610	,, raw and salted	,,	0	1	0
611	Skylights glass	,,	0	2	0
612	Slabs or Slates, marble ..	Ton	0	4	0
613	Sleepers, C.I. pots	,,	0	0	0
614	,, iron and steel ..	,,	0	4	0
615	,, wooden	,,	0	4	0
616	Smoking requisites	,,	0	4	0
617	Soap sand	,,	0	8	0
618	Soda and its compounds ..	,,	0	4	0
619	Soap	,,	0	4	0
620	Soapnuts, shikakay or soap substitutes.	,,	0	3	0
621	Solder	,,	0	6	0
622	Soojee or Zoor	,,	0	8	0
623	Spelter	,,	0	0	0
624	Spelter or zinc	,,	0	4	0
625	Spices	,,	0	4	0
626	Spikes, dog	,,	0	4	0
627	Spirits, motor	,,	0	0	0
628	Spirits and wines in bulk ..	,,	0	6	0
629	,, in cases ..	Case	0	3	0
630	Stationery	Ton	0	8	0
631	Statues, marble and plaster,	,,	0	4	0
632	Steel or iron bars, beams, plates, sheets, pipes, hoops, wire, etc.	,,	0	4	0
633	Steel bands	,,	0	4	0
634	Stock-lag	,,	0	4	0
635	Stocks and dies	,,	0	4	0
636	Stones, grinding	,,	0	4	0
637	,, pumice	,,	0	0	0
638	,, roller	,,	0	4	0
639	,, precious	Package	0	0	0
640	Stone, ballast, shingles ..	Ton	0	4	0
641	,, dressed	,,	0	4	0
642	,, paving building, etc.	,,	0	0	0
643	,, road metal	,,	0	0	0
644	Straw, elkman's	,,	0	4	0
645	Straw	,,	0	4	0
646	Straw boards, card board ..	,,	0	4	0
647	Sugar or sugarcandy ..	,,	0	4	0
648	Sulphate of iron	,,	0	4	0
649	Sulphur or brimstone ..	,,	0	4	0
650	Table salt	,,	0	4	0
651	Tails, cows' or yaks' ..	,,	0	4	0
652	Tallow	,,	0	4	0
653	Tamarind	,,	0	4	0
654	Tanned hides or skins ..	Package	0	2	0
655	Tanning bark	Ton	0	4	0
656	Tar or creosote	,,	0	4	0
657	Turpentine	,,	0	4	0
658	Tea in chests	,,	0	4	0
659	Telegraph materials ..	,,	0	4	0
660	Thread, bell, crotchet, knitting and sewing	,,	0	4	0
661	Thread, gold and silver, in packages.	Package	0	0	0
662	Thread, gold and silver, imitation.	,,	0	0	0
663	Tiger or lion	Each	1	0	0
664	Tiles or bricks, country ..	1000	0	4	0
665	Tiles glass	Package	0	2	0
666	,, glazed	,,	0	2	0
667	Timber	Ton	0	4	0
668	Tuningots	,,	0	4	0
669	,, plates	,,	0	4	0
670	,, ware	,,	0	4	0
671	Tobacco, raw	,,	0	4	0
672	,, manufactured ..	,,	0	4	6
673	Toilet requisites	,,	0	8	0
674	Toys	Package	0	2	0
675	Tre ubers	Each	15	0	0
676	Trunks and boxes, steel or iron.	Ton	0	8	0
677	Tubs, iron or steel ..	,,	0	4	0
678	Turmeric	,,	0	4	0
679	Turpentine in drums ..	,,	0	4	0
680	,, in cases	,,	0	4	0
681	Twine	,,	0	4	0
682	Twist and yarn, cotton, wool, jute, hemp flax, country.	,,	0	4	0
682a	Twist and yarn, foreign ..	,,	0	4	0
683	,, silk ..	,,	0	4	0
684	Type, printing	,,	0	4	0
684	Type-writers, parts and accessories for.	,,	0	4	0
685	Umbrellas and parasols ..	Package	0	4	0
686	Unenumerated goods ..	Ton	0	4	0
687	Unknown	,,	0	4	0
688	Varnish in cases	,,	0	4	0
689	,, in casks or bags ..	,,	0	4	0
690	Vegetables, fresh	Basket	0	1	0
691	Vegetable and animal manures.	Ton	0	4	0
692	Vehicles, wheeled, unspecified.	Each	1	0	0
693	Vermilion in cases	Ton	0	4	0
694	Vices	,,	0	4	0
695	Walnuts or almut, pistachio, betel and betelnuts, oats.	,,	0	4	0
696	Ware, aluminium	,,	0	4	0
697	,, brass	,,	0	4	0
698	,, china	,,	0	4	0
699	,, copper	,,	0	4	0
700	,, gilt enamel or enamel.	,,	0	4	0
701	,, german silver ..	,,	0	4	0
702	,, glass	Package	0	2	0
703	,, gold and silver ..	,,	0	0	0
704	,, ivory	Ton	0	4	0
705	,, lamp without glass ..	,,	0	4	0
706	,, porcelain	,,	0	4	0
707	,, tin	,,	0	4	0
708	Washers	,,	0	4	0
709	Waste, cotton or wool ..	,,	0	4	0
710	Waste, silk	,,	0	4	0
711	Watches and clocks ..	Package	0	4	0
712	Watson, coated and mineral	Case	0	2	0
713	Wax, bees' or other ..	Ton	0	4	0
714	,, pearls	,,	0	4	0
715	Wearing apparel	40 lbs	0	3	0
716	Weights	Ton	0	4	0
717	Wheat	,,	0	3	0
718	Wheels and axles	,,	0	4	0
719	Wheeled vehicles, unspecified.	Each	0	8	0
720	White lead	Ton	0	4	0
721	Wild animals, unspecified ..	Each	1	0	0
722	Window glass	Package	0	2	0
723	Wines and spirits in bulk ..	Ton	0	0	0
724	,, in cases ..	Case	0	2	0
725	Wire, iron, steel, brass or german silver.	Ton	0	4	0
726	Wood, scrub	,,	0	4	0
727	Wool, Berlin, knitting, fancy and worsted.	Package	0	2	0
728	Wool, in bales	,,	0	2	0
729	,, waste	,,	0	0	0
730	Woollens (piece-goods) ..	,,	0	0	0
731	Yarn, coir	Ton	0	4	0
732	Yarns, cotton or wool, foreign	,,	0	4	0
733	Yarns, grey or dyed, cotton or wool, country.	,,	0	4	0
734	Yellow metal	,,	0	4	0
735	Zinc sheets or ingots spelter.	,,	0	4	0

Rules.

Government stores will be charged dues at one-third of landing and shipping dues.

2. Ten cwt. or 25 c. ft. and over will be reckoned as one ton and under that quantity at half rates.

When fees are levied by packages, cases, bales, bags, baskets, bundles, casks or kegs, they will be charged at the rate noted against each whether large or small in size.

3. *Ships' requirements.*—Bonâ fide ships' fittings, dunnage and provisions for the use of ships using or frequenting the port need not pay dues.

4 *Refunds*—(*a*) *Imports.*—Refunds of dues paid on import applications will only be considered on proof of short landing.

(*b*) *Exports.*—Refunds of dues paid on export applications will only be considered on proof of short shipment.

5 Goods returned from vessels for reasons beyond the control of the shippers, whether damaged or not, will be allowed to be relanded free, provided the relanding pass is submitted to the proper authorities within 24 hours from the time of relanding.

The shipping dues paid for these goods may also be refunded provided the same goods are reshipped and pay shipping dues again.

6 All goods intended for shipment will be assessed on export application and the dues must be paid before the goods are shipped.

7. All goods landed within the limits of the port will be assessed on import applications and payment must be made before the goods are removed.

8. In cases of disputes as to weight or measurement, that shown in the bill of lading upon which freight has been paid will be deemed to be the correct tonnage.

9 Goods allowed to be transhipped must pay the same dues as if they were actually landed.

10. Fees assessed under these rules will in no case affect the charges for rent on shortage of goods on port lands.

11. All goods intended for shipment or landed within the limits of the port of Adirampatam shall be placed at the Customs wharf appointed under the Sea Customs Act for assessing the fees payable under the Act.

Fort St. George, December 1, 1916.

No. 69.—Whereas in consequence of the war the tonnage entering the minor ports in the Madras Presidency is greatly reduced and as such conditions are likely to prevail during the continuance of the war, it has therefore become expedient to supplement the revenues of the aforesaid ports. It is therefore notified under section 34 of the Indian Ports Act, 1908 (Act XV of 1908), as amended by the Indian Ports (Amendment) Act, 1916 (Act VI of 1916), that upon the expiration of sixty days from the publication of this notification in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, the rates of the port dues leviable at the several ports on sea going vessels of the burthen of 15 tons and upwards shall be the maximum amounts prescribed for the several classes of vessels in entries (*a*), (*b*), (*c*), (*d*), (*e*) and (*f*) in the third column of the first schedule (Part II) appended to the Act XV of 1908 and that port dues at such increased rates will continue to be levied until it is otherwise declared.

L. DAVIDSON,
Acting Chief Secretary.

(Ecclesiastical.)

APPOINTMENT.

Fort St. George, November 29, 1916.

No. 119.—The Rev. David Bedley Gillan, M.A., B.D., to be Chaplain of St. Andrew's Church, Madras, and also to act as Presbytery Senior Chaplain, Church of Scotland, Madras, with effect from the 8th November 1916 until further orders.

L. DAVIDSON,
Acting Chief Secretary.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

(Judicial.)

APPOINTMENT.

Fort St. George, December 1, 1916.

No. 915.—The Government are pleased to appoint Mr. C. Sydney Smith, *Barrister-at-Law*, to be Assistant Law Reporter, Madras, *vice* Mr. C. Madhavan Nayar resigned.

APPOINTMENT AND POSTING.

Fort St. George, December 1, 1916.

No. 918.—M.R.Ry. Harihara Venkateswara Ayyar Avargal, first-class Inspector, Government Railway Police, Trichinopoly, to act as Deputy Superintendent of Police, fourth grade, and to be in charge of the Markapur subdivision, Kurnool district.

[This cancels Home (Judicial) Department notifications Nos. 827 and 828, dated the 27th October 1916, published on page 1313 of Part I of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated the 31st October 1916.]

INVESTITURE OF POWERS.

Fort St. George, November 28, 1916.

No. 917.—Under section 287 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the undermentioned officers are authorized to take down the evidence of witnesses with their own hand in the English language :—

M.R.Ry. Nallambakkam Vedantam Ramayya Garu, First-class Magistrate, in the district of Guntur.

Fort St. George, December 2, 1916.

John Gwan Burn, Esq., I.C.S., Sessions Judge of Trichinopoly.

Fort St. George, December 4, 1916.

Arthur Marie Agricola Collier Galletti du-Cadilhac, Esq., I.C.S., District Magistrate of Tinnevelly.

Fort St. George, November 28, 1916.

No. 918.—Under section 12 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, M.R.Ry. Vellanthen Narayana Menon, Acting Deputy Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate, Pongameri, in the district of Anjengo, is appointed to be a magistrate of the second class and under section 37 he is invested with all the powers specified in the fourth schedule as powers which the Government may confer on a magistrate of that class except the power to pass orders as to first offenders under section 562.

No. 919.—Under section 37 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, M.R.Ry. Lakkaraju Lakkaraju, Second-class Magistrate in the district of Kistna, is empowered to pass orders as to first offenders under section 562.

No. 920.—The Governor in Council is pleased to appoint the undermentioned gentlemen to be special magistrates for the places specified opposite to their names, with the powers and subject to the terms and conditions specified in Notification No. 645, dated the 8th October 1912, published at pages 1004 and 1005 of Part I of the *Fort St. George Gazette* of the 15th idem, as amended by Notifications Nos. 400, dated the 26th May 1913, and 687, dated the 7th August 1913, published at pages 985 and 726 of Part I of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated the 10th June 1913 and the 12th August 1913, respectively :—

M.R.Ry. Rajapurohita Chandrasekhara Sastrulu Garu—Narayanadevarahan town, Hospet taluk, in the district of Bellary.

Fort St. George, November 30, 1916.

M.R.Ry. Vengadi Natesa Ayyar Avergal—Koveripakkam union, in the district of North Arcot.

Fort St. George, December 1, 1916.

M.R.Ry. Nallicherry Subbaswami Ayyar Sundaresa Ayyar ..
M.R.Ry. Nagulingam Chetti Annamalai Chetti Avargal ..
M.R.Ry. Akkasdam Ayyar Gopalakrishna Ayyar Avargal ..
M.R.Ry. Subbayya Nadar Ponnayya Nadar *alias* Chidambara Nadar Avargal .. .. } Kamuthi, in the district of Ramnad.
M.R.Ry. Sankarlinga Nadar Virakomara Nadar Avargal ..
M. E. Mearakanin Amboiem Ibrahim Ambalim Saheb Bahadur ..

No. 921.—His Governor in Council hereby empowers M.R.Ry. Nallicherry Subbaswami Ayyar Sundaresa Ayyar, Special Magistrate for the town of Kamuthi, in the district of Ramnad, to take cognizance, under clauses (*a*) and (*b*) of section 190 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, of the offences specified in items (2) to (4) of rule 1 of the rules in Notification No. 645, dated the 8th October 1912, published at pages 1004 and 1005 of Part I of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated the 15th idem, arising within the limits of the town of Kamuthi.

No. 922.—Under section 12 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, M.R.Ry. Nanalo Samuel Avargal, Acting Deputy Collector, in the district of Vizagapatam, is appointed to be a Magistrate of the first class, and under section 37 he is invested with all the powers specified in the fourth schedule as powers which the Government may confer on a magistrate of that class, except the power to try cases summarily under section 260.

ADDENDA AND CORRIGENDA.

Fort St George, November 28, 1916.

In notification No. 750, Home (Judicial), dated the 20th September 1916, published at pages 1180 to 1184 of Part I of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated the 26th September 1916,

(1) *Under South Canara District—for* "Deputy Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate, Nileshwar," *substitute* "Deputy Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate, Hosdrug"; and *for* "Deputy Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate, Karkal" *substitute* "Stationary Sub-Magistrate, Karkal."

(2) *Under Cuddapah district—For* "Sub-divisional Magistrate, Sidhout," *substitute* "Sub-divisional Magistrate, Rajampet"; and *for* "Stationary Sub-Magistrate, Pallampet," *substitute* "Stationary Sub-Magistrate, Rajampet."

(3) *Under Ganjam district—Add* the following:—

"Taluk Magistrate, Aska," "Deputy Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate, Sompeta," and "Special First-class Magistrate, Berhampur" and *for* "Deputy Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate, Russelkonda," *substitute* "Stationary Sub-Magistrate, Russelkonda."

(4) *Under Guntur district—Delete* "Deputy Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate, Bapatla" and Deputy Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate, Gurzala," and *for* "Stationary Sub-Magistrate, Palnad," *substitute* "Stationary Sub-Magistrate, Gurzala."

(5) *Under Malabar district—Add* "Additional District Magistrate, Malabar."

(6) *Under Ramnad district—For* "Sub-divisional Magistrate, Sattur," *substitute* "Sub-divisional Magistrate, Sivakasi," *for* "Deputy Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate Ramnad," *substitute* "Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate, Ramnad," *for* "Deputy Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate, Sivaganga," *substitute* "Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate, Sivaganga," and *for* "Deputy Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate, Tiruppattur," *substitute* "Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate, Tiruppattur."

(7) *Under Trichinopoly district—For* "Deputy Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate, Kilapaluvur," *substitute* "Deputy Tahsildar and Sub-Magistrate, Ariyalur".

NOTIFICATIONS

Fort St. George, November 28, 1916.

No. 923.—The following name of an auditor whose certificate granted by the Madras Government in accordance with the rules made under section 144 (2) of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, has been renewed, is published for general information:—

Name.—M.R.Ry. Valappil Shangaran.
Address.—Import Head Clerk, Messrs. Peirce Leslie and Company, Limited, Calicut.
Restricted or unrestricted.—Restricted.
Permanent or temporary.—Temporary.
Date of expiry after renewal.—31st December 1917.
Language accounts in which the holder is entitled to audit.—Malayalam.

Fort St. George, November 28, 1916.

No. 924.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 13 of the Indian Motor Vehicles Act, 1914, the Governor in Council is pleased to exempt road-rollers from the operation of all the provisions of Part III of the Act.

No. 925.—The following name of an auditor whose certificate granted by the Madras Government in accordance with the rules made under section 144 (2) of the Indian Companies Act, 1913, has been renewed, is published for general information:—

Name.—M.R.Ry. M. S. Krishna Rao.
Address.—2, Coelho Street, Mangalore.
Restricted or unrestricted.—Restricted.
Permanent or temporary.—Temporary.
Date of expiry after renewal.—31st December 1918.
Language accounts in which the holder is entitled to audit.—English, Canarese and Tamil.

Fort St. George, December 2, 1916.

No. 926.—In continuation of notification No. 18, dated the 22nd December 1915, published at page 7 of Part I of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated the 4th January 1916, relating to the Court of the Temporary Subordinate Judge of Tanjore, the Governor in Council directs, under section 4 and 5 of the Madras Civil Courts Act, 1873, that the said Court shall continue to hold its sittings at Tanjore for a further period of one year from the 1st January 1917.

2. The Governor in Council further directs that the Temporary Subordinate Judge shall have and exercise such local jurisdiction as may be assigned to him by the District Judge under section 18 of the said Act.

No. 927.—Under section 4 of the Madras Civil Courts Act, 1873, the Governor in Council directs the establishment of a Temporary Subordinate Judge's Court for the district of Tanjore for a period of six months.

2. Under section 5 of the said Act the Governor in Council directs that the said Court shall be held at Tanjore and that it shall be styled "The Court of the Additional Temporary Subordinate Judge of Tanjore."

3. Under section 19 of the said Act the Governor in Council further directs that the said Temporary Subordinate Judge shall have and exercise such local jurisdiction as may be assigned to him by the District Judge of Tanjore.

No. 928.—In exercise of the powers conferred by clause (*c*) of sub-section 1 of section 4 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that, with effect from the 1st January 1917, the villages noted in column 3 of the schedule hereto appended shall cease to be included in the local area of the police station noted in column 2 and shall form part of the local area of the police station noted in column 4.

SCHEDULE.

Circle in which at present included. (1)	Police station (1) which now attached. (2)	Names of villages. (3)	Circle in which hereafter included. (4)	Police station to which hereafter attached (5)
Vriddhachalam circle.	Tittagudi	Kranur 0 S No. 184	Vriddhachalam .	Vriddhachalam.
Do.	Do.	Pavanur Pu. S. No. 185	Do. ..	Do.

P. RAJAGOPALA ACHARIYAR,
Secretary to Government.

(Miscellaneous.)

MARRIAGE LICENCES.

Fort St. George, November 4, 1916.

No. 929.—Under section 9 of the Indian Christian Marriage Act, 1872, the Governor in Council sanctions the issue of licences to the undermentioned missionaries to grant certificates of marriage between Indian Christians in accordance with the provisions of the said Act within the territories under the administration of the Government of Madras:—

The Rev. Kattikala Anandam of the American Baptist Mission, residing at Uthur in the taluk of Tiruvur in the district of Kistna.

Fort St. George, November 30, 1916.

The Rev. Nallaballi Isaac of the Ohio Evangelical Lutheran Mission, residing at Kalahasti in the district of Chittoor.

P. RAJAGOPALA ACHARIYAR,
Secretary to Government.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Fort St. George, December 2, 1915.

No. 540.—Under the explanation to section 25 of the Negotiable Instruments Act (Act XXVI of 1881), the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that, in addition to the public holidays expressly defined as such in the said explanation, viz., Sundays, New Year's day (Saturday, the 1st January), Christmas day (Monday, the 25th December) and Good Friday (Friday, the 21st April), the following days shall be public holidays in the year 1916:—

Tuesday,	December 26th, 1916	..	Christmas
Wednesday	„ 27th „	..	
Friday	„ 29th „	..	
Saturday	„ 30th „	..	

2. The Governor in Council further notifies that on the following days, which are not declared to be public holidays under statutory provision, all public offices at the Presidency town and in the mufussil, with the exception of (1) the Sea Customs office, (2) the Reserve Treasury and office of the Commissioner of Paper Currency, (3) the General Stamp office (which will be opened from 11 A.M. to 1 P.M.) will be closed.

Saturday	December 23rd, 1916.	Christmas.
Thursday	28th „	

C. G. TODHUNTER,
Acting Secretary to Government.

Fort St George, December 8, 1916.

No 930.—The following resolution of the Government of India is republished :—

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY

EMIGRATION.

No. 11820

Delhi, the 15th November 1916

RESOLUTION.—The following paper is published for the information of those interested in the subject :—

Despatch from the Government of India to His Majesty's Secretary of State for India, No 41 (Emigration), dated the 15th October 1916.

We have the honour to address you regarding the present system under which Indian labourers are recruited for certain Crown colonies. It will be remembered that in the year 1910 the Committee over which Lord Sanderson presided submitted a report which contained certain criticisms and suggestions regarding the conditions under which the emigration of Indian labour to the colonies should be conducted; but the general trend of its conclusions was in favour of the continuance of the present method of indenture which was commended to be 'to the great benefit,' not only of the colonies, but equally of the main body of emigrants. It may be remarked incidentally that the Committee sat in London, and did not visit any of the colonies, though it mentioned a number of representative witnesses from each of them. The Committee's report contained a recommendation to the effect that officers of the Indian Government should visit each of the colonies employing indentured Indian labour at regular intervals, and report on the condition of the emigrants and on the measures which may be desirable to promote their welfare.

2. In pursuance of this recommendation, the Government of India deputed Mr. McNeill, I.C.S., and Mr. Chimman Lal, an Indian gentleman from the United Provinces, which is an important recruiting ground for colonial emigration, to visit the colonies concerned and submit a report on the conditions under which Indian labour was employed. The report was received by the Government of India in July 1916. These two gentlemen agreed with Lord Sanderson's Committee in their approval of the system. They considered that 'the advantages far outweighed its disadvantages,' and that 'the great majority of the emigrants exchanged grinding poverty with practically no hope of betterment for a condition varying from single but secure comfort to solid prosperity.' They also made certain recommendations for the improvement of the system and for the elimination from it of certain undesirable features to which they drew attention.

3. Apart from these recommendations, there are certain significant facts and figures in the report, which have attracted the special attention of the Government of India, and have led them to consider carefully whether the economic benefits which, it has been claimed, are conferred on the Indian labourer by indentured emigration, may not be outweighed by other and more serious drawbacks, and whether the popular feeling in the country, which has been setting more strongly against the practice of recruitment on indenture, is not after all based on solid as well as sentimental reasons. The colonies which at present receive Indian indentured labour are Trinidad, Demerara, Jamaica, Fiji and Dutch colony of Surinam. We do not propose to consider in any detail the arguments regarding emigration to the latter colony, for it is clear that, if our views regarding British colonies meet with your acceptance, it will be impossible for the Government of the Netherlands to demand the application of any different policy to Surinam. The varying degrees of dependence of the different colonies on imported Indian labour, and the history of the system under which it has been worked in the past in each case, are fully set forth in the report of Lord Sanderson's Committee; it is not necessary, therefore, to repeat these nor do we desire to discuss the housing, sanitary and medical arrangements that exist in the various colonies; it may be at once admitted that they are generally satisfactory and often excellent, while the weak spots are mostly capable of, or in process of, removal. It is rather to the social, administrative, and economic conditions under which Indian labour is employed that we desire to direct attention. We shall first discuss the death and suicide rates, the proportion of the sexes, the prosecutions for labour offences in the colonies, and the method of recruitment in India. We shall then consider the economic advantages of emigration from the Indian point of view. And, finally, we shall explain the objections which Indian public opinion has raised against the continuance of the system.

4. *Death-rate.*—The statement below represents the death rate in the colonies of indentured and, so far as figures are separately available, of the unindentured Indian labour :—

Year	Colony.	Population.		Death-rate per 1,000.		General Indian death-rate in colony.
		Indentured.	Unindentured.	Indentured.	Unindentured.	
1911 ..	Trinidad	6,627	13,873	18·2	..	9·8
1912 ..		10,938	14,199	17·6	..	
1913 ..		1,247	13,701	15·5	..	..
1911–12 ..	British Guiana ..	9,111	61,604	12·7	..	..
1912–13 ..		9,256	62,467	12·1	26·4	25·6
1913–14 ..		8,134	67,338	12·4	19·4	18·6
1911–12 ..	Jamaica	3,910	..	9·4	20·2	19·5
1912–13 ..		3,614	..	30·3	..	
1913–14 ..		4,017	..	23·2	..	..
1911 ..	Fiji	14,463	29,758	23·6	..	..
1912 ..		15,388	32,482	27·3	..	..
1913 ..		14,961	35,644	25·0	13·3	27·3
				2·7	11·6	16·9
					10·7	14·4

The above figures do not enable a contrast to be made in all cases between indentured and unindentured population. But the figures are particularly striking in Fiji. Here the death-rate has been decidedly high, considering that the island is free from malaria and that the majority of indentured coolies are adults in the prime of life selected after medical examination. The death-rate, however, shows signs of diminution which may be attributed to the improvement effected by the colony in sanitary and medical arrangements. The death-rates for persons of all ages and for persons of 20—30 years of age the age which most nearly corresponds to the average age of indentured immigrants, in the United Provinces and Madras were as follows :—

Year.	Ages 20–30.				All ages and sexes.	
	United Provinces.		Madras.		United Provinces.	Madras.
	Per 1,000 men.	Per 1,000 males.	Per 1,000 women.	Per 1,000 women.	Per 1,000	Per 1,000
1913	20·43	21 66	11 6	11 9	35·87	24·7
1914	23·98	25 71	10 9	11 6	44 06	22·1

The average death-rates in 1914 in Madras and the United Provinces jails, where the inmates are cared for on somewhat similar principles but much more closely than in the colonies, were 11·83 and 11 9, respectively. Allowing for the fact that indentured emigrants are all medically examined before leaving India, and that housing, sanitation and medical supervision of coolies in the colonies are far superior to anything available for the Indian village population, it is clear that the mortality among indentured coolies is decidedly high, especially in Fiji, although more conscientious and sustained efforts are probably made in this colony for the medical care and sanitation of Indian labourers than anywhere else in the world.

5. As a special feature of the death-rate, the high number of suicides among indentured coolies has for long attracted attention. This subject is dealt with in considerable detail in Messrs. McNeill and Chimman Lal's report. We reproduce the figures below :—

Colony.	Average rate, for ten years ending 1915, of suicides per million of Indian population.	
	Free	Indentured.
Trinidad	331	400
British Guiana	82	180
Jamaica	..	396
Dutch Guiana	48	81
Fiji	147	808

These figures may be compared with the figures given below for various parts of India—

Bombay City	75
Bombay City (ages 20–30)	107
Madras	48
United Provinces	64
India	61

The average rate amongst the Indian indentured population is high : but that among the indentured is a most serious matter, and not the less so in that it is here at its very worst in the colonies with the largest population basis of indentured labour. We may admit at once that a more careful record is probably maintained for indentured than for unindentured Indians. But the difference is too marked and the ratio too constant to admit of this being at all a complete explanation. We may admit also that the indentured population includes practically all the new comers. But this again cannot explain such high figures. Messrs. McNeill and Chimman Lal's report abstains from drawing very definite conclusions as to the causes ; among possible factors are home sickness, lack of freedom, the abnormal sex ratio, which will be discussed below in greater detail, and the unaccustomed surroundings.

6. *Proportion of the sexes.*—The coolies despatched from Calcutta in the year 1913 comprised 4,284 males and 1,545 females. The corresponding figures for 1912 were 5,960 and 2,866. From Madras 1,512 men and 605 women embarked in 1913 for Fiji and British Guiana. The proportion of sexes among the average Indian population of various colonies concerned was stated in the report presented to Parliament by the Colonial Office in March 1914 to be as under :—

Colony.	Adult males.	Adult females.	Remarks.
Trinidad, Tobago	31,925	17,159	These figures were compiled from the 1911 Census reports of the various colonies.
British Guiana	49,083	24 209	
Jamaica	7,137	4,715	
Fiji	26,963	9,785	

This disproportion affects both indentured and unindentured labour, the latter of course to a much less extent.

7. The high suicide rate and the disproportionate sex ratio are not, it is true, evils, peculiar to a system of indentured labour. At the same time, suicides are undoubtedly of far greater frequency among indentured colonial labourers than among the unindentured. The latter class is largely composed of persons who have passed the dangerous period of hopeless home-sickness, which is said to be one of the main causes of suicide. But it is possible enough that the feeling of being bound to serve for a fixed period and on the same estate is often the last straw that turns the scale in the mind of a man who is already depressed by home-sickness, jealousy, domestic unhappiness, or any other cause. Even if indentured labour were abolished, the effect of unusual surroundings, inability to return at will, or other causes might be sufficient to maintain the suicide rate above a normal figure. But it is most probable that the ability of the coolie to change his surroundings and his employer would, in the event, cause a very great diminution in the rate. As regards the question of sexual immorality, though this very important subject has not been dealt with in any great detail in the reports of the two previous Committees, there is a considerable amount of unofficial evidence, which shows that the moral conditions in the Indian coolie lines in Fiji at any rate are indescribable: and in view of the proportion of the sexes shown in the official figures, we feel certain that these accounts are little, if at all, exaggerated. The only suggestion that is made in Messrs. McNeill and Chapman Lal's report for its removal would take a great length of time to exercise its full effect, which after all would be comparatively slight. The real cause inseparable from the maintenance of emigration under present conditions and on its present scale. Immigrants, except where a system of seasonal emigration by families prevails, are bound to include more men than women; and the latter are equally bound to include, as is the case at present, a large proportion of persons who are prostitutes, social outcastes, or have been unhappy in their domestic relations. Choice of partners is thus necessarily limited, both as to quantity and quality; and it is still further restricted by the obligation to reside on a particular estate. It thus appears impossible to effect any improvement in the present state of things, which forms one of the darkest blots on the system, without a radical alteration in the sex ratio; and the necessity for bringing this about calls for serious consideration. But until this is done, the moral responsibility, which we incur, would be infinitely less under a system of free emigration, than under the present system. The law which allows the coolie to enter into a binding agreement in India is an Act of the Indian Government, and enforceable in its courts.

8. *Prosecutions.*—The figures for prosecutions are very significant, though they have decreased in number in recent years.

TRINIDAD.

Year.	Number of indentured coolies.	Prosecutions.	Percentage of prosecutions to coolies	Convictions.	Percentage of convictions to prosecutions.	Sentenced to imprisonment.
1909	11,879	2,309	21	2,027	87	507
1910	10,700	2,726	26	2,389	88	536
1911	10,554	2373	22	2,001	85	397

Almost all the cases dismissed were on account of want of prosecution or evidence and most of these were presumably cases in which the employer himself did not wish to proceed to extremities.

BRITISH GUIANA.

Year.	Number of indentured coolies.	Prosecutions.	Percentage of prosecutions to coolies.	Convictions.	Percentage of convictions to prosecutions.	Sentenced to imprisonment.
1912	8,871	1,367	12	1,012 and 118 rejoinders.	80	Not given

JAMAICA.

Year.	Number of indentured coolies.	Number of prosecutions.	Percentage of prosecutions to coolies.	Number of convictions.	Percentage of convictions to prosecutions.	Sentenced to imprisonment.
1917-18	4,152	513	13	498	97	Not given.

FIJI.

Year.	Number of indentured coolies.	Number of prosecutions.	Percentage of prosecutions to coolies.	Number of convictions	Percentage of convictions to prosecutions.	Sentenced to imprisonment
1908	11,978	2,237	19	1,881	84	405
1909	11,988	1,914	16	1,567	81	310
1910	12,672	1,911	15	2,247	80	449
1911	14,352	1,620	10	1,472	90	441
1912	16,131	1,264	8	1,135	90	188

In Fiji, as in certain other colonies, conviction often involves extension of the period of indenture, a very undesirable form of punishment.

Imprisonment for labour offences, except after three previous convictions, was abolished in Fiji in 1912.

It may be noted that many of the prosecutions involve more than one charge against the same coolie, and that the same men are sometimes prosecuted more than once in the same year, so that the actual number of coolies prosecuted is somewhat less than the number of cases. With this explanation, it may be stated that the average percentage of prosecutions on population concerned over the periods for which figures are given above was for Trinidad 23, for British Guiana 18, for Jamaica 12, and for Fiji 13. By far the larger proportion of these prosecutions arose out of the provisions of the labourer's contract.

There is no need to suppose that all these prosecutions were unreasonably undertaken: in fact, it is fairly clear that in most estates, prosecutions are kept down to the minimum number consistent with what has hitherto been considered efficient management. There are, however, not wanting signs that in Fiji at any rate, the unwisdom of the system hitherto pursued is being recognized: but as long as a labourer is bound to serve a particular master, kind or cruel, it will be impossible to avoid retaining some means of compulsion to make the coolie keep to his bargain.

The extraordinarily high proportion of convictions to prosecutions is significant even in such simple cases as labour offences. It is alleged by the opponents of the system that justice is not done; that the coolie is largely in the hands of the interpreter who is apt to take the side of the employers; that the magistrates are in many cases themselves employers, or necessarily favour the employers; and that the witnesses are servants of the prosecutor. Some of these facts are obviously true; but of the truth of others no authoritative evidence is forthcoming, while Messrs. McNeill and Chimman Lal's report states that justice is usually properly administered. But the possibilities of injustice which obviously exist, coupled with the very high percentage of convictions, give rise to uncomfortable suspicions.

9. *Method of recruitment.*—The recruitment of coolies by contractors, whose earnings depend on *per capita* payments for coolies recruited, has for long been regarded by the Government of India as unsatisfactory. In the case of labour required for Assam the system was made illegal from 1st July of this year. No specific local enquiry has as yet been made into the conditions under which labour is recruited in upcountry districts for the colonies, but there is no reason to believe that colonial emigration, controlled as it is only by Crown agents at comparatively distant centres, is on any better footing than was contract recruitment for Assam, while the complaints that appear in the press, or reach the ears of local officers, regarding occasional abuses, are of a very similar nature to those which led the Government of India, after careful enquiry, to abolish contract recruitment for Assam labour. Those responsible for the management of tea gardens, in Calcutta or upcountry, though they usually desire to work on clean lines, have proved quite unable to control the abuse which seem inseparable from the system of contract recruitment. The coolie contractor and his agents have for long borne a decidedly unsavoury reputation with their fellow villagers or townsmen. The policy of the Government of India in respect of Assam emigration has been to replace these men by *sardars*, who are labourers of a superior class from the tea gardens themselves, and who come back from time to time to their own villages and return with the recruits which they have collected there to the garden of their own employer, where they again work side by side with the recruits they have brought. This is the only system now permitted for Assam recruitment, and the *kangani* system under which recruitment for Ceylon and the Straits Settlements is mostly conducted, while it has certain drawbacks of its own, resembles it in its main features. It will really be appreciated that there are serious difficulties involved in the maintenance of a system for the benefit of overseas colonies, which we have found it necessary to abolish in the case of Assam, one of our own Provinces.

Regarding the class of persons collected by the recruiters, the last annual report on emigration from the Port of Calcutta bears eloquent testimony. Of 8,210 persons received into the upcountry depots, 1,188 were rejected as medically unfit; of the balance 3,837 persons reached the Calcutta depots, of whom only 2,678 left for the colonies, the balance having been returned as unfit or having absconded. The nature of the miscellaneous scraps of humanity collected by the recruiters in the first instance can be readily imagined.

10. *Economic aspect.*—We turn now to the economic aspect of the question. It has often been stated that the economic advantages gained by the Indian labourer are so great that they outweigh the moral and social evils which we have just described. We do not think it possible to apply a common measure which will enable such a comparison to be made. But the extent of these economic advantages has been too readily assumed. The rise in wages and in the standard of comfort among the labouring population of India has been great, and in certain particular areas, very great indeed. It is necessary, therefore, to compare the economic conditions of Indian labour in the colonies with those existing in various parts of India itself in order to decide precisely what degree of weight can be allowed to this argument.

Trinidad.—On the estates visited by Messrs. McNeill and Chimman Lal, the wages averaged about 4*s.* 6*d.* a week for indentured men. On a few of the best estates, the earnings were about 5*s.* The women earn from half to two-thirds of the above. The food of an industrious worker with a healthy appetite costs from 2*s.* 9*d.* to 3*s.* a week. Infants get rations at the employer's expense. Messrs. McNeill and Chimman Lal's report states that a good worker can save 2*s.* a week and all but inferior workers can save on the average about 1*s.* In point of fact, with average earnings of 4*s.* 3*d.* and food costing 3*s.*, it does not seem very probable that the labourer will clothe himself and his children, pay for petty luxuries, etc., of the type he affects, and yet save as much as 1*s.* It may be noted that rice, which sells at 4 seers to the rupee, pays an import tax of 30 per cent *ad valorem*, and *dhal* 12 per cent. Coolies have little or no chance of adding to their earnings while under indentures. No separate particulars are given for remittances or savings by indentured Indians.

British Guiana.—The average for all workers, including females and children, is 11½*d.* a day, for an average week of 3 days. On field work, the weekly average for shovel-men was 2*s.* 8½*d.* and 2*s.* 6½*d.* for all others. Good workers sometimes earn £1-5-4 a fortnight, and earnings of 15*s.* 6*d.* are not uncommon. The average earnings per day actually worked by men is about 12*d.* A man, it is stated ought to be able to save upwards of 2*s.* a week, if of average physique.

Indentured coolies are rewarded by being allowed to cultivate plots of rice. Repatriated emigrants took back with them the following sums:—

Year.	Returned emigrants.		Sums brought back	
	Men.	Women.	Deposited for transmission.	Estimated additional sums.
			Dollars.	Dollars.
1910	258	220	13,484	7,242
1911	460	279	26,897	4,600
1912	404	188	22,060	6,644
1913	446	154	29,363	4,875

These amounts were saved after a period, presumably, of ten years, and represent an average saving of 70 to 80 dollars a head, or say Rs. 240.

Jamaica.—Men's wages per day worked averaged from 1s. 6½d. to 1s. 5¾d. The average labourer works on two days out of three. Woman's wages average from 7½d. to 1s. ¾d. per day worked. A fair estimate of the daily cost of living would be, it is stated, 3s. 6d. weekly for an able-bodied man. Plots of land are rarely given to indentured coolies, nor are they encouraged to keep cows, for fear of deteriorating the type of animals kept by their employers.

Returned emigrants took back with them the following sums:—

Year.	Returned emigrants.		Sums brought back.	
	Men.	Women.	Cheques.	Jewellery.
			£	Rs.
1911	216	78	2,434	710
1912	..	..	..	..

Fiji.—An ordinary skilled man earns 8s. or 10s. a week at cane cutting and for loading trucks from 1s. 3d. a day upwards. Coolies very seldom work more than 5½ days a week. Rations are given to indentured immigrants for six months and to children for twelve months after arrival. The employer may not deduct for an adult's rations more than 2s. 4d. weekly. The retail cost of these rations to the coolie would be from 3s. to 3s. 6d. The price of rice is about 2½ seers to the rupee. Children's rations include milk. The average number of days worked is higher than in another colonies, as the climate is healthy, the sanitary arrangements good, and the coolies are said to like the variety of the work with its slack and busy seasons during the latter of which they can earn high wages. Repatriations are comparatively few, owing to the good wages. Plots of land have not hitherto been given to coolies, but it is now proposed to do this. One shilling is the minimum wage for men for a day of 8 hours. The average earnings in 1913 were as under:—

	Per working day.	Per day worked.
	d.	d.
Men	13·28	19·33
Women	6·64	9·37

The average savings after paying for food would thus be about 2s. 10d. Repatriated emigrants took back with them the following sums:—

Year.	Returned emigrants.		Sums brought back.		
	Men.	Women.	Cash deposited.	Value of other cash, etc.	Total.
			£	£	
1910	192	70	1,156	7,315	8,470
1911	384	98	2,391	10,144	12,535
1912	278	106	1,479	11,958	13,437
1913	378	131	2,780	13,980	16,760

About one-third of these repatriated were destitute or unfit. The remainder had worked for 10 years. Assuming that the former class brought back nothing, which is improbable, the latter brought on an average some £49 a piece.

It would appear therefore that coolies in the above-mentioned colonies can save from less than 1s. to about 3s. a week, provided that they spend little or nothing except on food and clothes. The savings brought home after 10 years' work, during 5 years of which they are presumably employed as free coolies, show that they do not, as a matter of fact, save anything like this figure, even allowing for money remitted to India. Annual remittances by Indians, which however include those by both free and indentured labourers, were as under:—

Year.	Trinidad.	British Guiana.	Fiji.	Jamaica.
1910	No.	No.	No.	No.
1911	30,013	31,024	48,218	6,414
1912	33,611	33,615	47,730	6,305
1913	32,721	41,513	57,990	6,975
1914	34,319	45,577	57,421	5,246
	29,513	40,161	50,308	5,165

The annual report on emigration from the Port of Calcutta for the year 1914 shows that out of emigrants arriving in Calcutta, the following brought back savings :—

	Returned emigrants.		Savings brought by	Of whom were over Rs. 150 were brought by
	Men.	Women.		
Demerara	4.4	157	495	241
Trinidad	497	172	273	101
Fiji	532	177	83	45
Jamaica	..	..	..	..

These figures bear out fairly well the figures already quoted, as regards the relative wage earning possibilities in the different colonies. They do not include the value of the jewellery brought back, which is presumably estimated and somewhat doubtful: and a very large proportion of returned emigrants, nearly half, brought back no savings at all.

11. We have seen, then, that the wages earned by indentured coolies in the colonies range between 4s. 3d. and 8s. 3d. per week, or say, 18s. and 36s a month, the highest earnings being in Fiji. Deducting the cost of rations at 3s. 3d. a head, the net earnings in the latter colony came to 5s a week, or say 12s. 9d a month. But there are many places in India where as good or almost as good wages are paid for unskilled labour, excluding the Punjab where the labourer is stronger and more efficient. In Eastern Bengal, wages run as high as 1s. 4d a day in the jute season which lasts for several months. The published wage statistics for the eastern districts of Bengal, which are however not entirely reliable, give the rate for ordinary agricultural labour at from 13s. 4d. to 20s. a month. More accurate figures obtained by the personal enquiries of an officer on special duty, showed that the labourers in Mymensingh earn from 8d. to 10d. a day: while others obtain from 9s. 4d. to 9s 4d. a month with their food. On the above figures an average wage of from 4s. to 5s. a week may be fairly assumed. Calculating the cost of the same rations as are given or bought in Fiji, at Eastern Bengal prices, the Eastern Bengal coolie's weekly food expenditure is 1s 4½d. and deducting this from the average weekly wage rate of 4s. 6d the balance is roughly 3s. 2d. The Eastern Bengal labourer's position is thus nearly as good as that of an indentured coolie in Fiji. He has to pay house rent unless, as is usually the case, he sleeps in a jute godown, or the cultivator's verandah, while the Fiji labourer is housed for nothing. The Eastern Bengal labourer is often an emigrant from Bihar, who leaves most of his family behind him where no doubt they earn a trifle, while the very few children that the Fiji coolie takes with him contribute to the family earnings, and his infant children receive rations. But the above figures are enough to show that in point of actual excess of wages over the bare cost of living there are places in India, outside the large towns, where a coolie can do as well as in most, if not all, of the colonies without the great disadvantage of having to leave his country and indenture himself to an employer, who may be considerate or the reverse, but whom he is bound to serve for five years, or go to jail if he refuses. It is true that in the areas in the east of the United Provinces and in Madras, whence the indentured coolie is mostly drawn, the wages are miserably low and congestion is intense. But there is no reason except the lack of a recruiting agency to take him, there, why the United Provinces coolie should not follow the example of his Bihar neighbour and go to work in Eastern Bengal, where the field for labour is very large. In the towns and the urban mills the wages for labour, with a small degree of skill that does not take long to gain, are nearly as high as in Eastern Bengal, though house rent and cost of food are higher. A coolie ought thus to be able on purely arithmetical considerations, to save from 2s. a week upwards. It is certain that the Indian demand for labour is far more than enough to absorb the 3,329 coolies that left Calcutta for the colonies as indentures in 1914, even if the rate be added the 1,607 coolies that left Madras for the same destination in the same year.

There is, however, a real advantage to the coolie, and it is a very real one, in colonial emigration. It gives the coolie the chance, after his indenture is over, of obtaining land, from which he can derive higher profits and live a life the conditions of which are in many ways more pleasant, than anything which is open to him in India though it is to some extent attainable in this country. In Assam, for instance, where labour under indenture has now been abolished, the tea garden labourer is usually allowed a plot of land to cultivate in his spare time: and when he leaves the garden an abundance of fertile waste land is available from which he can take up a plot at very little expense, and with the title of a ryot holding direct from Government.

12. We have seen that the case against indentured emigration is, from the point of view of the moral and social welfare of the coolie, very strong: and from the material point of view, its advantages are not as considerable as is sometimes thought. We have now to consider, so far as the information before us permits, and so far as it is necessary at the present stage, what would be the effect on the colonies, were it abolished.

British Guiana.—The average number of coolies who entered the colony yearly up to 1903 was 8,801: and between 1903 and 1913, 2,599. In the year 1913, the colony took only 61 coolies from Madras and 1,276 from Calcutta. At the end of the year 1912, the resident Indian population was 129,389 out of a total of some 300,000. The injury to colonial interests, even if Indian emigration were stopped altogether, which we do not propose, would thus apparently not be fatal.

Trinidad.—The total population of this colony was estimated in 1907 at 338,000: the Indian residents at the end of 1912 were 117,160.

The average yearly emigration has been as under—

1881–1891	..	..	2,500	1911	..	..	3,657
1891–1901	..	..	2,100	1912	..	..	2,657
1901–1908	..	..	2,700	1913	..	..	1,238

The number of adult labourers indented for and supplied during the last three years was as under:—

	Indented for	Supplied.
1911	More than 6,200	3,557
1912	2 301	2,556
1913	1,089	1,188

The demand thus appears, on the whole, to be declining, and a further diminution of the supply, while it would no doubt affect the plantations adversely, could scarcely make plantation agriculture impossible.

Jamaica.—The total population is 830,000, of whom in 1908 the Indian element was stated to constitute 13,821, a number which showed a decrease of about 1,000 in 19 years. At the end of 1912, it is shown at the obviously estimated figure of 20,000. In 1913, only 87 indentured emigrants sailed for Jamaica. In 1914, there was no emigration. Here prohibition must be a matter of indifference to the colony.

Fiji.—The case is, however, very different in Fiji, where at the end of 1913, the resident Indian population was 31,605. Between 1908 and 1910 about 8,000 coolies emigrated from India to the colony, and 2,100 returned. The subsequent figures have been—

Year.	Emigrated.
1911	4,204
1912	3,373
1913	3,222

By far the greater proportion of these were from Madras.

In view of the nature of the cultivation, which is mainly conducted by capitalist interests and consists of sugarcane and cocoanut plantations, of the declining numbers of the native population, of the difficulty experienced in recruiting Polynesians to a sufficient extent, and of the scanty population of the island; there is no doubt that any considerable diminution of the supply of Indian labour would be a very serious matter for the colony.

It would appear, in fact, that any diminution in the Indian labour supply which may reasonably be anticipated as the result of the proposals we are making in this despatch, can hardly affect Jamaica at all; will not be a really grave matter in the case of Demerara and Trinidad; and is only likely to need serious consideration in the case of Fiji.

13. We may now consider the position from the point of view of India herself. Including the figures of emigration to Suriname, the total Indian emigration on indenture to the tropical colonies during the year 1913 was—

Port of embarkation.	Number.
Madras	1,607
Calcutta	6,129
Total	7,736

From an economic point of view, thus, the interest of India as a whole in indentured emigration is negligible, and we need not meet the argument that colonial emigration is a safety-valve for congested districts in India.

It is, moreover, the case that in the same year, 117,753 unindentured coolies proceeded from Madras alone to the Straits Settlements, and 190,059 to Ceylon.

14 *Conference*.—In his despatch of 3rd January 1913, Lord Crewe stated that the Indian national sentiment against the stigma laid on the race by the existence of the indentured system ignored the advantages to the labourers themselves. We have attempted to show that the economic advantage gained by the coolie, while actually serving under indenture, is not so great as is often supposed; and that the real benefit, which he gains from emigration arises after the close of his indenture period, from the opportunities then before him of purchasing or leasing land or setting up in business and making himself a position as a settler. But whatever may be the extent of the economic advantage arising from the emigration of indentured labour, the political aspect of the question is such that no one, who has at heart the interests of British Rule in India, can afford to neglect it. It is one of the most prominent subjects in Indian political life to-day: and its discussion arouses more bitterness, perhaps, than that of any other outstanding question. Far Indian politicians, moderate and extreme, alike consider that the existence of this system, which they do not hesitate to call by the name of slavery, brands their whole race in the eyes of the British Colonial Empire with the stigma of helotry. How, they ask, will a European colonial ever admit us into the fellowship of citizens of the empire, when he knows that men of our country and colour can be purchased for five years *for* five shillings a week? It is firmly believed also in this country, and it would appear, not without grave reason, that the women emigrants are too often living a life of immorality in which their persons are, by reason of pecuniary temptation of official pressure, at the free disposition of their fellow recruits and even of the subordinate managing staff. The feelings which these beliefs engender are strong. As far back as 1910, when moving a resolution in favour of the abolition of indentured labour in Natal, the late Mr. Gokhale mentioned the unanimous feeling of his party and of Indians in South Africa, that indenture should be abolished everywhere. A further debate on the general question took place in 1912, when the resolution brought forward by the same gentleman, though defeated, had the support of every Indian member of the Imperial Council. It is unnecessary here to trace the arguments brought forward in the most eloquent speech which are recorded in the debates of the Imperial Council, and are still used by Indian editors and politicians. The

Government speakers on the other side admitted the existence of certain abuses, which it was believed could be largely remedied; but pressed the economic advantages to the coolie emigrants and denied that the indentured system could rightly be entitled slavery. Indian public opinion has strengthened and grows more articulate since the debate of 1912, while the favourable impression created on our minds by Lord Sanderson's Report, on which our defence of the system in 1912 was mainly based, has been considerably qualified, as has been indicated in the earlier paragraphs of this despatch, by the information which has subsequently been elicited by Messrs. McNeill and Chimman Lal.

(1) From the Government of the United Provinces, No. 1653, dated the 20th August 1915, and enclosures.
(2) From the Government of Madras, No. 1290, dated the 3rd September 1915.
(3) From the Government of Bombay, No. 6078, dated the 6th August 1915, and enclosure.
(4) From the Government of Bihar and Orissa, No. 7215-37., dated the 31st May 1916.
(5) From the Agent to the Governor General and Chief Commissioner, Baluchistan, No. 1813 dated the 18th December 1914.
(6) From the Chief Commissioner, Delhi, No. 258-C. & J., dated the 13th January 1915.
(7) From the Chief Commissioner, Ajmer, No. 2331-G., dated the 19th April 1915.
(8) From the Chief Commissioner, Ajmer-Merwara, No. 779, dated the 4th May 1915.
(9) From the Chief Commissioner, Coorg, No. 1198, dated the 3rd May 1915.
(10) From the Government of Burma, No. 476-M.-S-I. Pt.-I, dated the 19th April 1915.
(11) From the Agent to the Governor General and Chief Commissioner, North-West Frontier Province, No. 1474-G., dated the 11th June 1915.
(12) From the Chief Commissioner, Central Provinces, No. C.-131, dated the 20th September 1915, and enclosure.

15. On receipt of Messrs. McNeill and Chimman Lal's Report, we invited the opinions of Local Governments on its recommendations and on the general question whether indentured emigration to the colonies should be continued. The greater number of the Governments consulted have submitted their opinions, and we append copies of the letters marginally noted.

Although the report favoured the continuance of indentured emigration, while its recommendations referred only to the measures necessary for improving that system, it is noteworthy that the opinions of the Governments of the United Provinces, Madras and the Central Provinces (that of the latter Government conveyed in a memorandum by Sir B. Robertson, the Chief Commissioner), provinces which provide, practically speaking, all the indentured recruits that emigrate to the colonies to which this despatch relates, unanimously testify to the necessity of putting an end to indentured emigration altogether. The opinion of the Assam Administration is much to the same effect, in that they suggest the replacing of indentured emigration by a system of State-aided, but presumably free, emigration. The Bombay Government have no very decided views on the maintenance of indentured emigration which does not, however, directly concern them, as the Bombay Presidency sends, practically speaking, no emigrants to the colonies. We have still to receive reports from certain other provinces; these, however, have little immediate concern with the question and there are strong reasons for indicating our own attitude on this urgent and important question without further delay.

16. The feeling in India against indentured emigration has in no way diminished since the discussions of 1912, but has indeed gained force owing to the labour troubles in South Africa two years ago. We would also again point out that now that we have abolished in India what was considered by a large section of the intelligent public to be an abuse, it is becoming increasingly difficult for us to defend the retention of a similar system for the benefit of the colonies. We are of opinion that the moment has now arrived to urge His Majesty's Government to assent to the total abolition of the system of Indian indentured labour to the four British colonies where it still prevails and in Surinam; and thus to remove a social stigma which is deeply resented by educated public opinion in India, and exposes to hostile criticism the Government of India and His Majesty's Government in the sanction which they lend to a system entailing much unhappiness and moral degradation amongst certain classes of a population dependent on their care and protection. We can well understand that His Majesty's Government, with their heavy pre-occupations during the course of the war, may prefer to postpone the final settlement of the question till after the conclusion of peace. But in the meantime, to facilitate the preliminary discussions which will have to be undertaken with the colonies interested, we desire to submit the following preliminary suggestions on the general outlines of a scheme which, in our opinion, affords the most hopeful solution of the difficulties which we have pointed out, while causing as little disturbance to colonial interests as is compatible with the maintenance of our obligations to the classes of the Indian population concerned.

17. It is quite clear that the mere abolition of indentured emigration, a course which implies the refusal to allow any emigrant to leave the country under a contract, will not be sufficient. The result of this would be that recruiters would induce coolies to go without any agreement, but by the grant of advances, or by fraud, and the coolies on their arrival in the colony would be wholly at the mercy of its laws, and might be compelled to work out the advances which they had received, or were alleged to have received, by local labour laws with which the Government of India would have greatly weakened its power of interference. The mere abolition of indentured emigration, while it would remove what is in India considered a racial stigma, would not do away with the morally undesirable features of coolie life in the colonies, or with the abuses of contract recruiting in India, and yet these are stains from which British administration in India ought to cleanse itself. The introduction of a system of recruitment on *sardari* or *kangani* lines would, we admit, present difficulties in the case of distant colonies. It would be costly to arrange for the continuous voyage under proper conditions of small parties of coolies, and the system must, in any case, be freed from the bonds which the receipt of advances and the Ceylon enticement law attach to the *kangani* system. We think, however, that such difficulties can, and should, be met. One of the best features of the last mentioned system is the possibility which it holds out of improving the present abnormal sex ratio with its attendant evils, the removal of which is, in our opinion, an absolutely essential condition of whatever new system be introduced to take the place of indentured emigration. The system might be financed by the colonies through a tax on coolie-cultivated estates, or coolie-produced exports. There is no need for the individual planter to pay for the individual coolie, and we be led to consider that he has a right of property in him. The coolie should be at liberty to serve whatever master he chose, while if he desired to return to India, he would be called on to pay some share of the cost of his repatriation, a share which might vary with the nature of the circumstances and with the length of time he had served. The

prospects of free emigration are not at present very hopeful, except so far as the Mauritius figures are concerned. The figures for free labour emigration during the past three years have been as under :—

	British Guiana.	Jamaica	Trinidad	Fiji.	Mauritius.
1911-12	19	..	62	19	..
1912-13	6	2	16	24	849
1913-14	4	..	48	89	794

It would appear, then on the whole, that an improved *kangani* system, under which a coolie was not bound by the receipt of advances as by the local law to serve on a particular estate; with a proper sex ratio, and confined to approved colonies, offers the most promising results. The present system of inspection, shipping, and sanitary regulations would have to be maintained. There is no doubt that the change, especially the insistence on a proper sex ratio, would lead, at any rate at first, to a considerable falling off in the number of emigrants. But, after all, it is not the duty of the Government of India to provide coolies for the colonies, but to insist that those who go there shall do so under conditions which are not repellent to educated Indian opinion, and which give the emigrant himself a chance to live a decent life under proper conditions, and to develop into a more desirable class of settler than the man who at present leaves the coolie barracks of a Fiji sugar estate at the expiry of his period of indenture. By a policy on these lines India will surely offer a more acceptable contribution to the cause of Imperial progress and unity than by a blind compliance with demands for the continuance of an evil system.

P. RAJAGOPALA ACHARIYAR,
Secretary to Government.

FINANCIAL DEPARTMENT.

(Financial.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Fort St. George, December 6, 1916.

No 72.—The following notifications of the Government of India are republished :—

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

An Ordinance to amend temporarily the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1916.

Whereas an emergency has arisen which renders it necessary to amend temporarily the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1916; IX of 1916.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the power conferred by section 72 of the Government of India Act, 1915, the Governor General is pleased to make and promulgate the following Ordinance :— 5 & 6 Geo. V, c. 61.

ORDINANCE No. VI OF 1916.

Short title. 1. This Ordinance may be called the Indian Paper Currency (Further Amendment) Ordinance, 1916.

Amendment of section 3 of the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1916. 2. Section 3 of the Indian Paper Currency (Temporary Amendment) Act, 1916, shall be construed as if for the words "sixty millions" the words "one hundred and eighty millions" were substituted. IX of 1916.

JAIPUR,
The 11th November 1916.

FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

LEAVE AND APPOINTMENTS.

Delhi, the 20th November 1916.

No. 1287-F.E.—Mr T. R. Panchapagesan has been posted as Assistant Accountant-General, Madras, with effect from the 2nd November 1916.

No. 1289-F. E.—Mr. T. P. R. Russell Stracey has been posted as Deputy Accountant General, Posts and Telegraphs, Madras, with effect from the 3rd November 1916.

The 21st November 1916.

No. 1290 F E.—Mr. T. S. V. Sarma, Assistant Accountant-General, Madras, has been granted privilege leave for three weeks with effect from the 4th November 1916.

Mr. T Ranganayaka Mudaliar, a Superintendent in the office of the Accountant-General, Madras, has been appointed to officiate as Chief Superintendent, class II, in that office, with effect from the 4th November 1916 and during the absence on leave of Mr. T. S. V. Sarma.

No. 73.— STATEMENT of Provincial Revenue and Expenditure of the Government of Madras for September 1916.

REVENUE.	Current year. Sept. 1916.	Current year. April 1916 to Sept. 1916.	Current year. Budget proportion.	Current year. Budget estimate 1916–1917	Previous year. Sept. 1915.	Previous year. April 1915 to Sept. 1915.	Actuals 1916–1917 compared with Budget proportion for the month.	EXPENDITURE.	Current year. Sept. 1916.	Current year. April 1916 to Sept. 1916.	Current year. Proportionate allotted grant.	Current year. Budget estimate, 1916–1917	Previous year. Sept. 1915.	Previous year. April 1915 to Sept. 1915.	Actuals, 1916–1917, compared with proportionate allotted grant for the month.
CIVIL RECEIPTS.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	CIVIL CHARGES.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
I.—Land Revenue ..	1,50,084	83,13,091	83,00,000	8,59,20,000	64,335	63,06,186	+ 13,091	1. Refunds and Drawbacks ..	16,800	1,25,622	1,17,700	6,41,000	16,904	1,12,428	+ 6,622
IV.—Stamps	2,05,315	37,94,065	36,76,000	77,50,000	6,98,891	35,68,209	+ 78,065	2. Assignments and Compensations ..	92,079	1,68,183	1,68,000	3,05,000	26,104	1,88,358	+ 183
V.—Excise	14,47,986	80,85,976	85,29,000	1,77,68,000	14,32,034	84,88,858	— 43,024	3. Land Revenue	10,23,881	81,07,881	82,50,000	1,27,04,000	10,13,893	86,72,690	— 1,42,119
VIII.—Income-Tax	2,30,714	9,67,110	8,79,000	20,10,000	1,57,481	9,66,177	+ 65,410	6. Stamps	16,954	90,216	86,000	2,12,000	18,923	87,831	+ 3,216
IX.—Forest	4,48,961	19,80,270	20,10,000	38,50,000	3,98,092	19,77,511	— 29,730	7. Excise	70,736	4,51,726	4,61,000	9,35,000	77,441	4,74,238	— 28,276
X.—Registration	5,21,927	13,38,986	12,59,000	24,00,000	2,23,566	12,35,091	+ 79,986	10. Income Tax	2,982	18,587	18,000	32,000	2,710	15,696	+ 2,587
XII.—Interest	83,610	2,81,372	2,98,000	4,61,000	90,854	2,69,743	— 16,628	11. Forest	2,13,916	12,73,810	13,55,000	26,52,000	6 38,686	14,56,825	— 81,190
XVI-A.—Law and Justice—Courts of Law.	1,02,086	6,10,590	6,40,000	12,05,000	1,14,468	6,33,588	— 29,410	12. Registration	1,06,618	6,36,321	6,27,000	12,07,000	1,24,969	6 71,588	+ 9,321
XVI-B.—Law and Justice—Jails.	46,082	2,44,480	2,36,000	4,60,000	43,114	2,10,409	+ 39,165	13. Interest on Ordinary Debt ..	..	..	..	8,39,000	..	..	..
XVII.—Police	44,619	2,68,093	2,61,000	5,07,000	44,813	2,64,089	+ 6,093	14. General Administration ..	1,14,380	7,07,787	7,55,000	13,35,000	1,70,892	7 08 862	— 11 788
XVIII.—Ports and Pilotage ..	9	1,241	..	..	747	1,241	+ 1,241	15-A. Law and Justice—Courts of Law.	7,05,943	41,18,475	41,50,000	86,29,000	6,26,711	41,07,241	— 31,524
XIX.—Education	21,611	1,78,890	1,62,000	3,14,000	21,062	1,61,416	+ 11 890	15-B. Law and Justice—Jails ..	1,09,409	7,01 819	7,95,000	13,33,000	1,06,54w	7,91,613	— 8,181
XX.—Medical	6,172	35,712	75,000	1,42,000	6,762	73,647	+ 10 712	20. Police	9,77,027	56,08 839	57,24,000	1,18,11,000	8,80,980	54 27 910	— 1,37,361
XXI-A.—Agriculture	13,563	1,10,063	82,000	1,63,000	11,887	80,897	+ 67 063	21. Ports and Pilotage	2,339	12,076	17,000	46,000	2,007	14,467	— 4,476
XXI-B.—Scientific and Miscellaneous Departments.	40,139	2,38,273	2,18,000	10,87,000	33,531	2,42,637	— 9,727	23. Education	5,11,919	35,37,034	34,50,000	69,87,000	16 23,034	32,10,269	+ 87 034
XXII.—Receipts in aid of Superannuations, etc.	10,161	62,160	57,000	1,18,000	10,164	60,682	+ 5,160	24. Medical	2,22,949	16,73,413	16,40,000	30,63 000	2 80,681	28,09 242	+ 33,413
XXIII.—Stationery and Printing.	6,710	42 200	36 000	1,17,000	7,630	38,355	+ 1,200	25-A Agriculture	7,214	46,638	45,000	89,000	7,856	49,228	+ 1 638
XXV.—Miscellaneous ..	25,137	61,088	80 000	2,98,000	15,276	64,548	— 1,088	25-B. Scientific and Miscellaneous Departments.	96,923	6,28,739	6,87,000	12,37,000	1,21,491	5,96,910	— 57,261
XXIX.—Major Works—								26. Superannuations, etc.	2,78 055	16,70 433	16,28,000	33 20,000	2,68 071	16 04 226	— 1,568
Direct Receipts ..	8,062	1,02,180	85,000	1,33,000	12,899	94,520	+ 17,180	30. Stationery and Printing ..	83,473	2,91,747	3,23,000	18 55,000	65,586	3,15,437	— 35,253
XXX.—Minor Works and Navigation—								32. Miscellaneous	70,690	3,16,961	2,46,000	4,39,000	21,934	2,43,650	+ 70,961
Civil Officers ..	1,486	12,802	12 000	24,000	2,238	13,701	+ 802	34. Reduction or Avoidance of Debt ..	..	..	..	2,60,000	..	..	..
Public Works Officers.	24,982	1,30,618	1,18,000	2,05,000	23 931	1,28,236	+ 17,019	42. Major Works—							
XXXI.—Civil Works—								Working Expenses	28,182	6,49,781	7,30,000	11,28,000	1 39 826	7,20,819	— 1,82,209
Civil Officers ..	— 237	20,816	6,000	40,000	3,021	8,480	+ 24,816	Interest on Debt	..	..	..	16,40,000	..	..	..
Public Works Officers.	28,050	1,42,904	1,71,000	3,08,000	25,963	1,31,044	— 6,096	43. Minor Works and Navigation—							
								Civil Officers	68,881	2,33,185	3,06,000	6,09,000	72 392	2,58,966	— 72,815
								Public Works Officers ..	3,05,788	16,98,248	28,61,000	52,00,000	3,85,280	18,23,441	— 9,74,752
								46. Civil Works—							
								Civil Officers	68,316	17,78,816	17,64 000	18,33,000	3 621	20,31,813	+ 11,816
								Public Works Officers ..	2,06,938	26,53,908	27,00,000	54 18,000	3 83 941	25,61 860	— 1,46,092
Total, Revenue .	87,52,384	4,04,78,367	2,71,12,000	7 68,72,000	34,91,832	2,07,09,530	+ 4,83,363	Total, Expenditure ..	50,47,674	3,00,00,[illegible]	3,85,10,000	7,78 14,000	61,00,321	3,11,25,25	— 15,24,953

L. DAVIDSON,
Acting Chief Secretary.

(Separate Revenue.)

NOTIFICATION.

Fort St George, December 5, 1916.

No. 74.—The following notifications of the Government of India are republished :—

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Delhi, the 25*th November* 1916.

No. 63-W.-II-C.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916) the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following additions shall be made in this Department's Notification No. 9003-W.-II., dated the 23rd September 1916, viz.—

Additions.

Chang Pei-Shu ..	.. Chefoo.	Panzis, Ch. J. and Company	.. Chefoo.
Chen Kee and Company	.. Hankow.	Polverino, Adolfo ..	.. Do.
Fang Chong ..	.. Shanghai.	Schlaedecker, Eug. ..	.. Do.
Hwa Da and Company	.. Chefoo.		

Customs.

The 25*th November* 1916.

No. 65-W.-II-C.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 3 of the Import and Export of Goods Act, 1916 (XI of 1916), the Governor General in Council is pleased to direct that the following amendment shall be made in this Department's Notification No. 9354-W.-II., dated the 14th October 1916. *For the* existing sub-clause (*d*) to proviso (ii) *substitute* the following :—

(*d*) goods transhipped in Indian ports or carried forward in the same bottom to destinations outside British India.

L. DAVIDSON,
Acting Chief Secretary.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

EXTENSION OF LEAVE.

Fort St. George, December 4, 1916.

No. 508.—Under article 280 of the Civil Service Regulations, M.R.Ry. V. K. Ananthakrishna Ayyar Avargal, deputy collector, sixth grade, is granted an extension of privilege leave for twelve days.

APPOINTMENT AND POSTING.

Fort St. George, November 30, 1916.

No. 509.—The following appointment and posting of a deputy collector are ordered :—

M.R.Ry. Nemala Samasi Avargal, Tahsildar, Guntur district, to act as deputy collector, seventh grade.

M.R.Ry. Nemala Samasi Avargal to general duty, Vizagapatam.

POSTINGS.

Fort St. George, December 1, 1916.

No. 510.—The following postings of deputy collectors are ordered :—

M.R.Ry. Paryasvami Chevethanvami Chinnanaiya Pandiyan Avargal, on completion of training in treasury work at Madura, to general duty, Ramnad.

Fort St. George, December 4, 1916.

Mr Joshua Williams, on return from leave, to general duty, Chingleput.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Fort St. George, November 28, 1916.

No. 511.—Under section 3 of the Madras Canals and Public Ferries Act of 1890, His Excellency the Governor in Council hereby cancels Notification No. 378, dated 29th September 1905, published on page 800 of Part I of the *Fort St George Gazette*, dated 3rd October 1905, establishing the Meyyattur ferry in the Chidambaram taluk, South Arcot district, with effect from the date of publication of this notification.

Fort St. George November 4, 1916.

No. 512.—His Excellency the Governor in Council declares, under the provisions of section 16 of the Madras Forest Act of 1882, that the areas the boundaries of which are described in the schedule below shall be constituted "reserved forests" with effect from 1st December 1916 :—

District.	Taluk.	Name of blocks.	Name of village in which the land lies.	Description and boundaries.
Godávari ..	Bhadrachalam.	Tollavada Extension No. V to the Rekapalli Hill reserve.	Tollavada ..	Area 318 acres. Bounded on all sides by the Rekapalli Hill reserve.
Do. ..	Do	Vandalugondi Extension No. I to the Kannaiku reserve	Vandalugondi	Area 324 acres. *Northern boundary.*—The southern boundary of the Chintur-Lakkaraopet road. *Eastern, southern and western boundaries.*—The northern boundary of the Kannaiku reserve.
Do. ..	Do.	Gummadikonda Extension No. III to the Rekapalli Hill reserve	Gummadikonda.	Area 1,281 85 acres. *Northern boundary.*—Starting from cairn 1 at the north-west corner of the Rekapalli Hill reserve (this reserve adjoining Kollaripeta village), the boundary runs along the western boundary of the last-named reserve past cairns 2—10 to cairn 11

Eastern boundary.—The line continues to run along the western boundary of the same reserve past cairns 12—46 to cairn 46.

Southern boundary.—The line continues in run along the western boundary of the same reserve past cairns 47—54 to cairn 55. Thence the line runs north-west to cairn 56 situated about 31 chains east of the Jeddigunta-Pulusumalli road.

Western boundary.—Thence the line runs in a straight line with a bearing of 174 degrees for a distance of 218 chains 87 links to cairn 64. Thence the line runs with a bearing of 24 degrees for a distance of 6 chains 53 links to cairn 67 situated on the south-east corner of the Pulusumalli reserve; thence along the eastern boundary of the last-named reserve for a distance of 108 chains to the starting point.

RESERVE.—The following public right of way is allowed through the Gummadikonda Extension No. III to the Rekapalli Hill reserve. It is 120 yards wide and is open to carts, cattle and vehicles. It crosses the western boundary of the extension at a point about 50 chains north of cairn 46, runs east-south-east through the extension to cairn 31 on its eastern boundary and leaves the extension at the last-named point.

Fort St. George, November 20, 1916.

No. 513.—His Excellency the Governor in Council hereby declares under the provisions of section 24 of the Madras Forest Act of 1882 that the areas specified below, which were declared to be reserved forests under section 16 of the Act in notification No. 516, dated 7th November 1894, published on pages 1428 to 1430 of Part I of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 15th November 1892, shall cease to be reserved forests with effect from 15th January 1917.

SPECIFICATION OF LAND DISAFFORESTED.

Name of reserve or portion of reserve disforested.	District.	Taluk.	Village.	Area in acres.	Boundaries.
Portions of the Gudivadamanak reserved forest.	Cuddapah.	The present Rayachoti taluk.	Adjoining the villages of Addalamarri and Kamanakalva.	Block I 1·3 „ II 131·8 Total .. 133·1	Block I. *West and North.*—Starting from the north-west corner of survey No. 149 of Addalamarri village, the line runs north and by east and meets the village boundary at the northern corner of survey No. 142. *East and South.*—Thence the line runs south-west and west along the northern boundary of the same village to the starting point.

Block II.

West and North.—Starting from the south-west corner of survey No. 272 of Kamanakalva village, the line runs in a straight line to the south-west corner of survey No. 149 of Addalamarri village.

East and South.—Thence the line runs south and south-west along the western boundaries of Addalamarri and Kamanakalva villages to the starting point.

Brief description.—The blocks form portions of a hill reserve and contain low scrub jungle in the higher slopes. The ground is rocky.

Reasons for disforestation.—At present the reserve boundary is too near the village site. Further, the villagers require the blocks as cart-sheds and as a cattle stand and for storing manure.

Fort St. George, November 28, 1916.

No. 514.—Under section 2 of the Madras Proprietary Estates Village Service Act of 1894, the operation of the Act was extended to the undermentioned inam villages in the Chicacole taluk of the Ganjam district by notification No. 349, dated 10th August 1908, published on page 823 of Part I of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 17th August 1908. His Excellency the Governor in Council hereby declares that this notification shall be withdrawn so far as it relates to these villages, and that the provisions of the Act shall cease to apply thereto with effect from 1st January 1917.

Allalapeta.	Sitarampuram.	Tallavalasa (S. No. 153).
Kondubhkivalasa.	Raghavapuram.	Jillelavalasa.
Vanjangipeta.	Gopalapeta.	Chinnavenkatapuram.
Pakirtakkya.	Sannamantyasanpuram.	

No. 515.—Under section 17 of the Madras Proprietary Estates Village Service Act, 1894, His Excellency the Governor in Council directs that the enfranchisement of village service inams in the proprietary villages specified in the schedule hereto annexed and the payment of money salaries to the establishments of the said villages shall take effect from 1st January 1917:—

SCHEDULE

District	Name of estate.	Names of villages.
Nellore	Venkatagiri	Venkatareddipalem. Linganamayudupalli Venkatareddipalli Venugopalapatnam. Pogalarampalli, Bangaroyachasamudramsettichilivendra Swarnayachasamudram. Nannuriayapuram. Battepad, Sethukhandriga.
Do.	Kalahasti	Timmasamudrampalli, Kmamambapuram.
Do.	Chandi	Parikondapadu Agraharam.

Fort St. George, November 30, 1916.

No. 516.—Whereas by Notification No. 443, dated 23rd September 1915, published on page 976 of Part I of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 12th October 1915, His Excellency the Governor in Council under sections 28 and 32 of the Madras Forest Act of 1882 has made rules to control the practice of podu cultivation in the agency portion of the Madgole estate now under the administration of the Agent to the Governor, Vizagapatam, and whereas the Manager of the estate has requested in writing that the Special Forest Officer for the Golgonda Agency and Hill Madgole may be empowered under sections 55 and 59 (*d*) of the Act to accept compensation for offences punishable under rule 3 of these rules, His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased under section 59 (*d*) of the Act to empower the Special Forest Officer to accept compensation under section 55 of the Act for offences punishable under these rules.

No. 517.—Whereas by Notification No. 358, dated 1st August 1889, published on page 574 of Part I of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 13th August 1889, as amended by Notification No. 412, dated 9th August 1892, published on page 1143 of Part I of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 9th September 1892, His Excellency the Governor in Council under section 28 of the Madras Forest Act of 1882 has made rules to regulate the management of the forest and waste lands at the disposal of Government within the Pallonada and Golgonda Agency tracts in the Vizagapatam district and whereas the Collector of the district has recommended that the Special Forest Officer for the Golgonda Agency and Hill Madgole be empowered to accept compensation for offences in the Golgonda Agency and punishable under rule 76) of these rules, His Excellency the Governor in Council is pleased under section 59 *d*, of the Act to empower the Special Forest Officer to accept compensation under section 55 for offences in the Golgonda Agency punishable under these rules.

Fort St. George, December 4, 1916.

No. 518.—Under section 17 of the Madras Proprietary Estates Village Service Act, 1894, His Excellency the Governor in Council directs that the enfranchisement of village service inams in the three inam villages specified in the schedule hereto annexed and the payment of money salaries to the establishments of the said villages shall take effect from 1st January 1917.—

SCHEDULE.

District.	Taluk.	Names of villages.
Ganjam	Aska	1. Veerakrishnapuram. 2. Pratapakrishnapuram. 3. Kshetryaramapuram.

Fort St. George, December 6, 1916.

No. 519.—The following notification of the Government of India is republished :—

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE AND AGRICULTURE.

FAMINE.

Delhi, the 23rd November 1916.

No. 26-C.—With reference to rule 3, clause (*c*), of the rules published with the Notification of the Government of India in the Department of Revenue and Agriculture, No. 1616-F., dated 25th July 1910, the Hon'ble the Agent to the Governor General, Central India, has appointed Rai Bahadur Nihal Chand, C.I.E., to be a Member of the Board of Management of the Indian Peoples Famine Trust vice Major General His Highness Sir Madho Rao Sindhia, Bahadur, Maharaja of Gwalior, G.C.S.I., G.C.V.O., resigned.

ACQUISITION OF LANDS.

Fort St. George, December 1, 1916.

Under section 6, Act I of 1894, His Excellency the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 0·02 of an acre, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for excavating a bothi for irrigating R. S. No. 343-1 of Vinnakota, and, under sections 3 and 7 of the same Act, the Tahsildar, Bhimavaram, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

2. A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Tahsildar, Bhimavaram, and may be inspected at any time during office hours.

SCHEDULE

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or poramboku, with survey or puramah number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
Kistna district, Bhimavaram taluk, Vinnakota village			
Govt., wet, R.S. No 343-2 E.	Bhupati Raju and Lakshmipathi Raju, Vinnakota	North, No. 343-2 A, east, No. 338-1; south, No 343-3, west, No 343.	ACRS. 0·02

Under section 6, Act I of 1894, His Excellency the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 0·58 acre, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for the extension of Malapeṭṭah; and, under sections 3 and 7 of the same Act, the Deputy Collector, Koilkuntla, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

2. A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Deputy Collector of Koilkuntla and may be inspected at any time during office hours

SCHEDULE.

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or poramboku, with survey or puramah number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
Karnool district, Sirvel taluk, Gundayalli village			
Govt., dry, S No. 3 C.	Edigu Lakshmiah, Kambiṉeni-palli Sunka Reddi, Kambiṉeni-palli Erra Reddi and Tangam Pedda Subba Reddi.	North S. Nos. 3 B and 36, east, S. No. 3 E; south, S. No 3 D; west, S. No. 3 A.	ACRS. 0·58

Under section 6, Act I of 1894, His Excellency the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 0·10 of an acre, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for a pathway from the Panchama hamlet to the road; and, under sections 3 and 7 of the same Act, the Sub-Collector, Gudur, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

2. A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Sub-Collector, Gudur, and may be inspected at any time during office hours.

SCHEDULE.

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or poramboku, with survey or puramah number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
Nellore district, Sulurpet division, Gudur taluk, Vinnamala village			
Wet .. .	Venambaka Muni Reddi and Siddalingama Gurumadhava, Raja of Venkatagiri, proprietor.	North, wet land of Pellakur Chengayya and Panpuleti Muniswami Nayudu, east, Vinnamala Mulavadu, south, wet land of Venambaka Muni Reddi; west, union road leading to Vinnamala.	ACRS. 0·10

Fort St. George, November 27, 1916.

Under section 6, Act I of 1894, His Excellency the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 5·99 acres, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for mud an machan by the Panchamas of Kollangudi Panchayat; and, under sections 3 and 7 of the same Act, the Sub-Collector, Sermadevi, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

2. A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Sub-Collector, Sermadevi, and may be inspected at any time during office hours.

SCHEDULE.

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or poramboke, with survey or paimash number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
	Tinnevelly district, Sangunpri taluk, Sivarampudy village.		
			acs.
Dry, S. No. 368-1 ..	No. 141. Sadagopa Ramanuja Nayadu.	North, S. Nos. 369-2 and 369-4; east, S. No. 369-4, south, S. No. 368-2; west, S. No. 369-3	1·78
Do. No. 368-2 ..	No. 176, Venkatarangappa Nayadu and others.	South, S. No. 369-1; east, S. No. 369-4; south, S. No. 367-14 & 15; west, S. No. 369-3.	1·97
Do. No. 368-4 ..	Do.	North, S. No. 369-2; east, Tekkanangunari; south, S. No. 367-15 & 16; west, S. Nos. 368-1 & 2	2·24
		Total ..	5·99

Under section 6, Act I of 1894, His Excellency the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 2·00 acres, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for Madiya village-site in Davagudur; and, under sections 3 and 7 of the same Act, the Revenue Divisional Officer, Kandukur, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

2. A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Revenue Divisional Officer, Kandukur, and may be inspected at any time during office hours.

SCHEDULE.

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or poramboke, with survey or paimash number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
	Nellore district, Kandukur taluk, Davagudur village.		
			acs.
Govt., dry, No. 149	Chanda Subbarayudu, patadar. Enjavers, Chandi Gopala Krishnayya, Kondayya and Sattanayyana, guardian mother Chandi Adamma.	North, S. No. 150, drain; east, S. No. 148, occupied land, south, S. No. 149-2, occupied land; west, S. No. 154, village.	2·00

J. P. BEDFORD,
Acting Secretary to Government.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

APPOINTMENTS.

Fort St. George, December 1, 1916.

Mr. William John Joseph Howley, Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, is placed on special duty in the Public Works secretariat, Madras, with effect from the 27th November 1916.

Mr. Vincent Hart, Executive Engineer, Coimbatore division, to officiate as Superintending Engineer, IV Circle, in addition to his own duties, vice Mr. Howley on special duty, or until further orders.

POSTING.

Mr. Albert Stevenson Laurie, Executive Engineer, is, on return from leave, posted to the charge of the Kurnool division, III Circle.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Fort St. George, December 5, 1916.

The Committee appointed to inquire into the organization, methods and procedure of the Buildings and Roads Branch of the Public Works Department will commence their inquiry at Bombay on January 1st, 1917.

Their inquiry will be conducted in accordance with the following itinerary :—

Bombay	January 1st to January 17th.
Poona	January 18th.
Nagpur	January 20th to January 29th.
Calcutta	January 30th to February 13th.
Madras	February 15th to March 2nd.
Rangoon	March 5th to March 17th.
Bankipur	March 21st to March 24th.
Allahabad	March 28th to April 6th.
Roorkee	April 7th.
Lahore	April 9th to April 13th.

The terms of reference are as follows:—

"To inquire into and report generally upon the organization and the system of administration of the Buildings and Roads Branch of the Public Works Department, and to make such suggestions for change as the circumstances seem to justify. Among the particular points which the Committee should inquire into are the following:—

(i) whether the methods at present adopted for the execution of Civil Works are economical and suitable for the purpose for which they were devised;

(ii) whether under the existing system private enterprise is sufficiently encouraged, and whether it is possible and desirable to entrust the construction and upkeep of certain classes of public works to agency other than departmental, and, if so, upon what lines such change should be effected;

(iii) whether any changes recommended by the Committee necessitate any modification of the organization of the staff of the Public Works Department, and, if so, what;

(iv) whether the Public Works Department meets the needs of other Departments of the Administration, and whether the relations inter se of the various sub-divisions of the Buildings and Roads Branch, Sanitary, Architectural, Electrical and Civil Engineering, are satisfactory;

(v) whether further decentralization within the Public Works Department itself is desirable, and, if so, to what extent and in what directions;

(vi) Whether the Public Works Department Code which regulates the execution and maintenance of Civil Works is unduly restrictive, and, if so, in what direction change is desirable;

(vii) whether the system of education in Government Engineering Colleges is organized on a sufficiently broad basis to meet the needs of private agency as well as of Government, whether it attracts suitable candidates, and whether the standard of instruction is sufficiently advanced to provide fully qualified civil engineers for employment by Government, local bodies, and private engineering and contracting firms, and, if not, in what directions and to what extent improvement is required;

(viii) whether adequate provision is made for the practical training on works of students who have received their scientific education in English or Indian Colleges."

The Committee accordingly invite all persons, associations, public bodies and private engineering and contracting firms, who desire to give written evidence, to send the same to the address of the Secretary, Public Works Reorganisation Committee, Camp, India, at least a fortnight before the date of the Committee's arrival in the province to which the evidence relates, together with a Memorandum stating the qualifications of the writer.

S. B. MURRAY,
Joint Secretary to Government, P.W.D.

Fort St. George, December 1, 1916.

Whereas it appears to Government that land is likely to be needed in the undermentioned villages of the Vriddhachalam taluk, South Arcot district, for the Tolundr Project Works, notice to that effect is hereby given to all whom it may concern in accordance with the provisions of section 4 (1) of the Land Acquisition Act I of 1894 and His Excellency the Governor in Council hereby authorises the Executive Engineer, Public Works Department, Tolundr Project Division, and the Special Deputy Collector on Land Acquisition duty, Tolundr Project, at Tittagudi and their staff and workmen to exercise the powers conferred by section 4 (2) of the Act.

(1) Telur.
(2) Kodikkalam.
(3) Gudalur.
(4) Tiruvadaturai.
(5) Tirumalayanguram.
(6) Kiranur (O) (Survey No. 156).
(7) Karaiyur.
(8) Venkarambur.
(9) Pennadam.
(10) Maligaikottai.
(11) Sattiyandi.
(12) Kollattankurichi (Pe).
(13) Kosappalam.
(14) Karunagudi.
(15) Valliyam.

Fort St. George, November 15, 1916.

Closures of canals in the Godavari district during the year 1917.

Name of canal.	Date of Closure.	Date of Re-opening.
Godavari Eastern Delta—		
Main canal	1st May 1917 ..	1st June 1917.
Bank canal	Do. ..	Do.
Coringa canal	Do. ..	Do.
Injaram canal	Do. ..	Do.
Mandapetta canal	Do. ..	Do.
Samalcotta canal	Do. ..	Do.
Cocanada canal	Do. ..	Do.
Godavari Central Delta—		
Main canal	15th April 1917 ..	15th May 1917.
Gommaram canal	Do. ..	Do.
Bank canal	Do. ..	Do.
Billakurru canal	Do. ..	Do.
Amalapur canal	Do. ..	Do.
Rendamerlaka canal	Do ..	Do.
Godavari Northern division—		
Pummagudiem canal	15th March 1917 ..	10th June 1917.

REMARK.—Hour of closing 6 a.m. Hour of re-opening 6 p.m.

N.B.—The canals do not become navigable until 48 hours after re-opening.

F. E. MORGAN,
Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D. (Irrigation Branch).

ACQUISITION OF LANDS.

Fort St. George, November 21, 1916.

Under section 5, Act I of 1894, His Excellency the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 4·27 acres, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for earthwork purposes for remodelling Nidamangalam Railway station yard; and, under sections 3 and 7 of the same Act, the Revenue Divisional Officer, Kumbakonam, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

2. A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Revenue Divisional Officer, Kumbakonam, and may be inspected at any time during office hours.

SCHEDULE

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or pormboke, with survey or puramah number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
	Tanjore district, Papanasam taluk, No 137, Pulapatadi village.		ACT.
Dry, S. No. 2 L-2 assisi 1·42 A.	Appu Vandayar, Ramaswami Vandayar and five others as need, Trustees Sri Kailasanatha Swami temple.	North, No. 2 L-1; east, Pethur village; south, No. 3; west, No. 2 M-2.	1·27
Do. No. 2 M-2.	Kalyanambalagamma	North, No. 2 M-1, east, No. 2 L-1; south, No 2 M 2; west, No. 3 M-1.	0·02
Do. No. 3 N-2.	Muthuswami Vandayar and Parthasarya, Sambaya and Thangappa with Viruthaswami Vandayanar guardian	North, No 3 M-2, east, No. 3 L-2; south, No 3, west, No. 3 N-1.	0 09
Do. No 13 H-2.	Dakshinamurthi Vandayar ..	North and east, No. 13 P-2; south, No 19 H-1; west, No. 16.	0 05
Do. No. 13 P-2.	Pavadai Somasam	North, No 3; east, No. 13 P-1; south, Nos. 13 H-2 and 13 P 1, west, No. 16.	0·07
Do No. 13 P-2.	Thangavja Vandayan, Sunmyna Vandayan and Sami Vandayan	North, No 3; east, Nos 16 J-A and 16 X-2, south, No 16 T-3, west, Nos 13 T-1 and 16 O-1.	0 39
Do No. 16 X-2.	Do. do.	North, No. 16-2 A., east, No. 16 Y-2; south, No. 16 X-1; west, No 16 T-2.	0 60
Do. No. 16 Y-2.	Parmasami Vandayan ..	North, No 16-2 A; east, No. 16 Z-2, south, No 16 Y-1, west, No. 16 X 2.	0·28
Do. No. 16 Z-2.	Paramas	North, No. 16-2 A 1 east, No. 16; south, No. 16 Z-1; west, No. 16 Y-2.	0·32
Do. No. 16-2 A.	Appu Vandayan, Ramaswami Vandayan, Swaminatha Vandayan, Muthuswami Vandayan Annaswami Vandayan, Alagappa Vandayan, Subramania Malavarayan, Trustees of Sri Kailasanathaswami temple.	North, No. 3; east, No. 13; south, No. 16 X-2, Y-2 & Z-2, west, No. 16 T-2.	0·25
		Total ..	4·27

D. MARSHALL,
Deputy Secretary to Government, P. W. D.

Under section 6, Act I of 1894, His Excellency the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 0·68 of an acre be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for the diversion of Kunavaram-Parnasala cart-track at Murumur; and, under sections 3 and 7 of the same Act, the Tahsildar of Bhadrachalam is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

2. A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Tahsildar of Bhadrachalam, and may be inspected at any time during office hours.

SCHEDULE

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or pormboke, with survey or puramah number	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
	Godavari district, Bhadrachalam taluk, Chinn Pidapalla village.		
Dry, S No. 16 ..	Superior proprietor Bhadrachalam Talukdar-ul-Jahirat Dastgeb Sri Raja Parthasarathi Appa Rao Garu, Zamindar.	North, east, south and west, S. No. 18	ACRS. 0·66
	Murumur village.		
Dry S. No. 18 ..	Superior proprietor Bhadrachalam Talukdar-ul-Jahirat Dastgeb Sri Raja Parthasarathi Appa Rao Garu, Zamindar.	North, east, south and west, S. No 48	0·02
		Total ..	0 68

W. G. MOLESWORTH,
Under Secretary to Government, P. W. D.

Fort St. George, November 30, 1916.

Under section 6, Act I of 1894, His Excellency the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 1·5 acres, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for the main channel—high level branch—connected with Tolaudr Project Works; and, under sections 3 and 7 of the same Act, the Special Deputy Collector, Tolaudr Project, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

2. A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Special Deputy Collector, Tittagudi, and may be inspected at any time during office hours.

SCHEDULE.

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or peramboke, with survey or patnam number.	Name of owner or occupier	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up	Extent to be taken up.
	South Arcot district Villiyanallur taluk, Karuppapadi village		
			acs.
New S.F. No. 73—Kyatwari dry, No. 11-4.	M. Ramaswami Padayachi, P. Ramaswami Padayachi, Thandavaraya Padayachi, Kuppa Padayachi and Alaga Padayachi.	North, Tenayur; east, No. 11-5; south, No. 17 B; west, No. 11-C.	0·15
Do. No. 11-3.	Ramaswami Padayachi ..	North, Thenayur; east, No. 10-3; south, No. 11-A; west, No. 11-4.	0·1
Do. No. 10-3.	Ramaswami Padayachi	North, Thenayur, east, No. 10-2; south, No. 10-B; west, No. 11-5	0·8
	Kuppa Padayachi	Do. do.	0·8
	Thandavaraya Padayachi and Chidambara Padayachi (mortgagee).	Do. do.	0·2
Do. No. 10-2.	M. Ramaswami Padayachi, P. Ramaswami Padayachi, Thandavaraya Padayachi, Kuppa Padayachi and Alaga Padayachi	North, Thenayur; east, No. 9-3; south, No. 10-A; west, No. 10-3.	0·35
Do. No. 6-9.	Thandavaraya Padayachi and Subbaraya Padayachi.	North, Thenayur; east, No. 6-10, south, No. 6-11; west, No. 10-2.	1·20
Do. No. 6-10.	Nallathambi Padayachi and Agalladdam.	North, Thenayur; east, No. 79; south, No. 6-9; west, No. 6-9.	0·12
New S.F. No. 79—Kyatwari dry, No. 5-2.	Karumbur and Ramankara Muthuswami Padayachi (mortgagee)	North, Thenayur; east, No. 4-8; south, No. 5; west, No. 78.	0·25
Do. No. 4-4	Chidambara Padayachi	North, Thenayur; east, No. 3-2; south, No. 4-B; west, No. 5-3.	0·15
Do. No. 4-6.	1. Narayana Padayachi and Muthuswami Padayachi (mortgagee).	North, Thenayur; east, No. 4-4; south, No. 4-C; west, No. 5-2.	0·8
	2. Ramaswami Padayachi	Do. do.	0·1
		Total ..	1·5

Fort St. George, November 27, 1916.

Under section 6, Act I of 1894, His Excellency the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule measuring 40 square feet, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for the improvement to the masonry trough aqueduct across Pogadali surplus channel, and, under sections 3 and 7 of the same Act, the Tahsildar, Chicacole, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land

2 A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Tahsildar, Chicacole, and may be inspected at any time during office hours

SCHEDULE.

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or peramboke, with survey or patnam number	Name of owner or occupier	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up	Extent to be taken up.
	Ganjam district, Chicacole taluk, Edulavalasa village.		
Masonry trough aqueduct (private property in S. No. 316-2, peramboke tank).	Mandavilli Appa Rao and Pedama Mahalakshmi.	North, east, south and west, S. No. 316-2 ..	sq. ft. 40

Fort St. George, November 30, 1916.

Under section 6, Act I of 1894, His Excellency the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 7·03 acres, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for Tolaudr Project Works—Main Channel—High Level Branch; and, under sections 3 and 7 of the same Act, the Special Deputy Collector, Tolaudr Project, is

appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

2. A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Special Deputy Collector, Tiruppur, and may be inspected at any time during office hours.

SCHEDULE

Description of land, wet or dry, tram or puramboke, with survey or puramboke number.	Name of owner or occupier	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
	Said Arasu Kurrai, Pattikaiyam taluk, Thana or village.		
			Acs.
New S. F. No. 185— Eyewan, dry, No. 187-2	Thandavarayan Padayachi and Veluswami Padayachi.	North, No. 187-4; east, No. 186; south, Kongu-yam; west, No. 187-A.	0 17
Do. No. 187-4.	Thandavarayan Padayachi ..	North, No. 187-7; east, No. 186; south, No. 187-2; west, No. 187-B.	0 17
Do. No. 187-7.	Do. ..	North, No. 187-10, east, No. 186, south, No. 187-4, west, No. 187-C.	0 30
Do. No. 187-10	Sevaliga Padayachi ..	North, Nos. 187-12 and 604; east, No. 186; south, No. 187-7, west, No. 187-C.	0 10
Do. No. 187-12.	Para Chenkalan	North, No. 204; east, No. 186; south and west, No. 187-10.	0 06
New S.F. No. 204— Eyewan, dry, No. 158-10.	Sellamuthu Padayachi, Swaminatha Padayachi, Chinnaswami Padayachi, Kuppuja Padayachi, Govinda Padayachi and Kandaswami Padayachi.	North, No. 158-J; east, No. 158-11; south, No. 203; west, No. 158-I.	0 10
Do. No. 158-12	Muthuswami Pillai and Muruga Thas.	North, No. 158-13; east, No. 162; south, No. 201, west, Nos. 158-15 and 158-J.	0 30
Do. No. 158-13.	Ayyaswami Padayachi ..	North, No. 158-14; east, No. 162; south, No. 158-12; west, No. 158-K.	0 28
Do. No. 158-15.	(1) Amirtha Padayachi and Subburi Padayachi.	North, No. 201; east, No. 160, south, No. 158-13, west, No. 158-L.	0 20
	(2) Velayudu Padayachi ..	Do. do.	0 20
	(3) Ayyaswami Padayachi ..	Do. do.	0 24
New S. F. No. 205— Eyewan, dry, No. 158-7	Sellamuthu Padayachi and Kumbi Padayachi.	North, No. 160-9; east, No. 162; south, No. 204; west, No. 160-L.	0 32
Do. No. 160-1.	Amman Ammal ..	North, No. 160-6; east, No. 162; south, No. 158-7, west, No. 160-A.	0 40
Do. No. 158-6.	Sellamuthu Padayachi and Lakshmi.	North, No. 158-1; east, No. 161-4; south, No. 160-3; west, No. 160-E.	0 6
Do. No. 161-4	Sellamuthu Padayachi and Lakshmi.	North, No. 161-3; east, No. 162, south, No. 161-1, west, No. 161-1.	0 39
Do. No. 161-4.	Subburaya Padayachi ..	North, No. 201-2; east and south, No. 162, west, No. 161-6	0 2
New S. F. No. 206— Eyewan, dry No. 64-1	Sellamuthu Padayachi and Lacsmi.	North, No. 75-1; east, No. 65-2; south, No. 205; west, No. 161.	0 2
Do. No. 64-3.	Ponnusami and Nattukottai Lakshmi (Chetti, money-lender, Erode on mortgage).	North, No. 64-4; east, No. 63; south, No. 65-2; west, No 64 C.	0 41
Do. No. 64-4.	Kumara and Kuppan ..	North, Nos. 64-6 and 65-6; east, No. 63; south, No. 64 Z; west, No. 64-A.	0 23
Do. No. 53-3	Sivarayan Gurukkal	North, No. 207; east, No 63; south and west, No 64-4	0-1
New S. F. No. 207— Eyewan, dry, No. 53-6	Kumara and Kuppan ..	North, No. 53-8, east, No. 63; south, No. 64-4, west, No. 207.	0 1
Do. No. 53-	Sivarayan Gurukkal	North, No. 53-11; east, No. 63-15; south, No. 53-3; west, No. 53-6.	0 32
Do. No. 53-11	Ramasa Padayachi	North and east, No. 53-2; south, No. 52 B; west, No. 57-1.	0-8
	Lakshmana Padayachi and Subbiramani Padayachi (mortgagee).	North, No. 56-2; east, No. 57-B; south, No. 54-2; west, No 57-A.	0-26
Do. No. 53-3	Do. do.		0 11
	Do. do.		0-6
	Do. do.		0 6
Eyewan, dry, No. 53-	Timber for the time being standing on Vellakkalmedu	North, No. 57-4; east, No 53-A; south, No. 53-B, west, No. 53-B.	0 22
Do. No. 53-4.	Do. do.	North, No. 17-4; east, No. 53-A; south and west, No. 54-A.	0-1
Do. No. 53-2	Narayana and Agalankam ..	South, No. 204, east, No. 46; south, No. 47-2; west, No. 46.	0 15
Eyewan, dry No. 53-3.	1. Arogi Padayachi	North No. 47-A, east, No. 53-A, south, No. 57-2, west, No. 56.	0 20
	2. Perumalsami Pillai and Lakshmi Ammal ..	Do. do.	0 10
		Do. do.	0 9
New S. F. No. 208— Eyewan, dry No. 61-1.	Sellamuthu Padayachi, Subbu Padayachi and Arumugam Padayachi, Chinnaswami Padayachi, Pandurangu Padayachi and Muruga Padayachi.	North, No. 62-4; east, No. 63, south, No. 207; west, No. 61.	0 11
Eyewan, dry, No. 61-C.	Sellamuthu Padayachi and Perumalsami Pillai (mortgagee).	North, No. 61-C; east, No. 63-7; south, No. 61-3; west, No. 62-D.	0 6

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or poramboke, with survey or patcanah number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up	Extent to be taken up.
South Arcot district, Vriddhachalam taluk, Thuraiyur village—contd.			
New S.F. No. 206—Ryotwari, dry, No. 42-7.	Nallathambi Padayachi and Panchanadam Pillai (mortgagee).	North, New No. 42-6; east, Murugangudi; south, No. 43; west, No. 42-4.	acs. 0·12
Do. No. 42-4.	Chidambara Padayachi, Somammal and Sellammal (mortgagee).	North and east, Murugangudi; south, No. 42-7; west, No. 42-C.	0·6
Do. No. 43 ..	Kuppa Padayachi and Muthuswami Padayachi.	North, No. 42-7; east, Murugangudi; south, No. 237; west, No. 41-3.	0·41
New S.F. No. 209—Ryotwari, dry, No. 3-2.	Koman Padayachi	North, No. 3-2; east, Murugangudi; south, No. 43; west, No. 3-6.	0·1
Do. No. 3-2 ..	K. Alaga Padayachi and Arumuga Padayachi.	North, No. 3-3; east, Murugangudi; south, No. 3-3; west, No. 3-A.	0·6
Do. No. 3-7 ..	Alagi Padayathi, Muruga Padayachi and Chinnathu Padayachi.	North, No. 210; east, No. 3-5; south, No. 3-6; west No. 3-A.	
Do. No. 3-3 ..	Muruga Padayachi, Chinnathu Padayachi and Arumuga Padayachi (mortgagee).	North, No. 3-6; east, Murugangudi; south, No. 3-2; west, No. 3-C.	0·12
Do. No. 3-6 ..	Chinnathu Padayachi ..	North, No. 210; east, Murugangudi; south, No. 3-3; west, Nos. 3-5 and 3-7.	0·7
New S. F. No. 210—Ryotwari, dry, No. 2-3.	Ka. Muruga Padayachi and Manonkara Muthuswami Padayachi (mortgagee).	North, No. 1-B; east, Murugangudi; south, No. 2-4; west, No. 2-A.	0·18
Do. No. 2-4 ..	Arumuga Padayachi and M. Muthuswami Padayachi (mortgagee).	North, No. 2-3, east, Murugangudi; south, No. 209; west, No. 2 B	0·17
Do. No. 1-A ..	Arunachalam	North, Karaiyar, east, Murugangudi; south, No. 2-3; west, No. 1-A.	0·14
		Total ..	2·43

Fort St. George, November 27, 1916.

Under section 6, Act I of 1894, His Excellency the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 1·97 acres, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for the irrigation channel and aqueduct to Lakur, and, under sections 3 and 7 of the same Act, the Headquarters Deputy Collector, Nellore, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

2. A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Headquarters Deputy Collector, Nellore, and may be inspected at any time during office hours.

SCHEDULE

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or poramboke, with survey or patcanah number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
Nellore district, Nellore taluk, Lakur village.			acs.
Dry, No. 1060-2-2 ..	Thumba Reddi Subbaraya Reddi, Devi Reddi, Kota Reddi and Thikkavarapu Seva Kota Reddi.	North, No. 1061, east, No. 1060-1; south, No. 1058-1, west, No. 1060-2-3.	0·30
Do.	do.	Do. do.	0·43
Wet, Nos. 1057-3 and 1057-4	Anaur Subba Nayudu and M.R.Ry. M. Balarama Reddi Garu, B.A., B.L., receiver appointed by the Court.	North, No. 1057-1; east, No. 1059-3, south, No. 1061-3, west, No. 1058-2 & 3.	0·15
Dry, No. 1058-2 ..	M.R.Ry. K. V. Raghavacharlu, B.A., B.L., Vakil, Nellore and K. Devikacharlu	North, No. 1059-2; east, No. 1059-3, south, No. 1057-3; west, No. 1058-1.	0·35
Do. No. 1059-2 ..	Do. do.	North and east, No. 1059-1, south, No. 1058-3; west, No. 1057-2.	0·02
Do. No. 1057-2 ..	Do. do.	North, No. 1058-1; east No. 1057-3; south, No. 1058-2 B, west, No. 1057-1.	0·18
Do. No. 1058-2 B ..	Thrita Kesavadas Sriramachandra.	North, Nos. 1058-2 A and 1057-3; east, No. 1061-1 A-2, south and west, No. 1058-2 C.	0·30
Wet, No. 1061-1 A-2.	Anaur Subba Nayudu and M.R.Ry. M. Balarama Reddi Garu, B.A., B.L., Receiver.	North, No. 1061-1 A-1; east, No. 1061-1 B-2, south, No. 1061-1 A-3, west, No. 1058-4 B.	0·12
Do. No. 1061-1 B-2.	Vakil K. Devikacharlu ..	North, No. 1031-1 B-1, east, No. 1062, south, No. 1061-1 B-3, west, No. 1061-1 A-2.	0·13
Aqueduct in No. 1057-2 and channel excavation.	Anaur Subba Nayudu and M.R.Ry. M. Balarama Reddi Garu, B.A., B.L., receiver of the property appointed by the Civil Court.	....	..
		Total ..	1·97

Under section 6, Act I of 1894, His Excellency the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 0·33 of an acre, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for widening and strengthening road No. 5; and, under sections 3 and 7 of the same Act, the Revenue Divisional Officer, Trichinopoly, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

2 A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Revenue Divisional Officer, Trichinopoly, and may be inspected at any time during office hours.

SCHEDULE.

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or patta-hable, with survey or puimash number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
	Trichinopoly district, Trichinopoly taluk, Thiruvalarmalai village.		ACRE.
Govt., wet, S. F. No. 99-3.	Ambithallingam Pillai ..	North, S.F. No. 99-4; east, S.F. No. 98; south, S.F. No. 97; west, S.F. No. 99-4	0·07
Do. No. 99-8.	Do. ..	North of east, S.F. No. 99-4; south, S.F. No. 97; west, S.F. No. 99-7	0·05
Do. No. 87-6.	Sivasangam Pillai	North, S.F. No. 87-5; east S.F. No. 87-1; south, S.F. No. 82; west, S.F. No. 88.	0·02
Do. No. 88-3.	Gandasatha[illegible]	North, S.F. Nos. 86-1 and 86-2; east, S.F. No. 88-1; south, S.F. No. 76; west, S.F. No. 88-2.	0·03
	Thiruverumpuram village.		
Govt., dry, S.F. No. 119-1.	M. S. Raghunatha Tata Achriyar.	North, S.F. No. 120-1; east, S.F. No. 119-2; south, S.F. No. 114; west, S.F. No. 120-2.	0·06
	Pattapiyaram village.		
Govt., wet, S.F. No. 37-5 A.	Mookayee	North, S.F. No. 37-2 A; east, S.F. No. 37-5; south, S.F. No. 66; west, Tiruvalar pilai.	0·01
Do. No. 37-6 A.	Ve. Mattiya Mutiriyan ..	North, S.F. No. 37-3 A; east, S.F. No. 37-6; south, S.F. No. 36; west, S.F. No. 37-3 A.	0·01
Do. No. 37-4 A.	Nadair Ramaswami Thangayyan.	North, S.F. No. 37-4 A, east, S.F. No. 37-6; south, S.F. No. 36; west, S.F. No. 37-3.	0·01
Do. No. 33-3 A.	P. Chitambara Mutiriyan .	North, S.F. No. 36-3 A, east, S.F. No. 33-1; south, S.F. No. 34; west, S.F. No. 36-4.	0·01
Do. No. 36-4 A	Do. ..	North, S.F. No. 36-4 A; east, S.F. No. 36-3; south, S.F. No. 34; west, S.F. No. 36-5.	0·01
Do. No. 33-1 A	Somasi Mutiriyan and Pattani Mutiriyan.	North, S.F. No. 32-1 A, east, S.F. No. 33-1; south, S.F. No. 34, west, S.F. No. 33-2.	0·03
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Do. No. 48-7 A	Ve. Pattani Mutiriyan ..	North, S.F. No. 48-7 A; east, S.F. No. 48-3 A; south, S.F. No. 47; west, S.F. No. 48-4	0·02
		Total ..	0·33

Fort St. George, November 30, 1898.

Under section 6, Act I of 1894, His Excellency the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 0·05 of an acre, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for providing means of irrigation to a sale land in Ayilangudi village, Madura taluk, Madura district; and, under sections 3 and 7 of the same Act, the Divisional Officer, Melur, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

2. A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Divisional Officer, Melur, and may be inspected at any time during office hours.

SCHEDULE.

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or pattahle, with survey or puimash number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
	Madura district, Melur taluk, Narasingampatti village.		ACRE.
Govt., wet, S. No. 1238 A-1.	Sundaraya Ambalam, Doraisayeraman Ambalam, Doraipandy alias Veeraraya and Ramayya.	North, S. No. 1236 A-2; east, S. No. 1219 B; south, S. No. 1; west, S. No. 21 of Ayilangudi.	0·01
	Madura taluk, No. 118, Ayilangudi village.		
Govt., wet, S. No. 21 B	Durairaja Ambalam residing in Narasingampatti village, Melur taluk	North, remaining portion of S. No. 21 A; east, S. No. 1236 of Narasingampatti village, Melur taluk; south, S. No. 20, west, remaining portion of S. No. 21 A.	0·01
		Total .	0·02

Fort St. George, November 28, 1916.

Under section 6, Act I of 1894, His Excellency the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 2·32 acres, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for the improvement of Sandavasi tank of Gulimikondla; and, under sections 3 and 7 of the same Act, the Divisional Officer, Gooty, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

2. A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Deputy Collector, Gooty, and may be inspected at any time during office hours.

SCHEDULE.

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or pormboke, with survey or patta with number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
Anantapur District, Gooty taluk, No 121, Gulimikondla village.			
Government, dry, S. No. 81-a portion sub-divided as A,	Uppara Kadamala Doddappa ..	North, S No. 71, east, S No. 56, south, portion of S. No. 87, sub-division E; west, S. No 76	acs. 2·32

F. E. MORGAN,
Under Secy. to Govt., P.W.D. (Irrigation Branch).

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APPOINTMENTS.

Fort St. George, December 5, 1916.

No. 1250.—In exercise of the power vested in him by clause (*d*) of sub-section (1) of section 5 of the Madras City Municipal Act, 1904, the Governor in Council is pleased to reappoint Dr. Turavath Madhavan Nayar and Mr. Ernest Ronald Osborne to be Commissioners of the Corporation of Madras.

No. 1251.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 11 of the Madras Local Boards Act, 1884, the Governor in Council is pleased to reappoint M.R.Ry. Inuganti Venkata Bhujanga Rao Garu to be a member of the District Board of Vizagapatam.

No. 1252.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 11 of the Madras Local Boards Act, 1884, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint M.R.Ry. Sarukkai Ranga Acharlyar Avargal, M.A. & O.L., to be a member of the District Board of Ganjam.

No. 1253.—In exercise of the power conferred by section 11 of the Madras Local Boards Act, 1884, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint M.R.Ry Nilakanta Kharasudha Patnaik Garu to be a member of the District Board of Koraput.

No. 1254.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 10 of the Madras District Municipalities Act IV of 1884, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint M.R.Ry Rao Sahib Kamaraju Mucharla Krishna Rao Pantulu Garu to be a municipal councillor of the municipality of Guntur.

No. 1255.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 10 of the Madras District Municipalities Act IV of 1884, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Dr. John Shortt Evers to be a municipal councillor of the municipality of Trichinopoly.

No. 1256.—In exercise of the power vested in him by section 10 of the Madras District Municipalities Act IV of 1884, the Governor in Council is pleased to appoint Lieutenant Colonel H. F. Annske and Lieutenant K. Padmanabha Panikkar, I.M.S., to be municipal councillors of the municipality of Trichinopoly.

NOTIFICATIONS.

No. 1257.—Under sections 6 and 122 of the Madras Local Boards Act, 1884, the Governor in Council is pleased to declare that the villages of Thovarum (excluding its hamlets) and Kombai in the Periyakulam taluk of the Madura district shall be constituted into unions for the purposes of the Act and to direct that the provisions regarding panchayats shall come into force in the unions with effect from 1st April 1917 and that the maximum number of members to be appointed for the panchayats shall, for the time being, be seven and twelve respectively

No. 1258.—The following draft order vesting in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments Madras, the "Diwan Bahadur S. Rm. M. Ramaswami Chettiyar's endowment" for the award

of medals in the board elementary school at Arizungar in the South Arcot district is published. It will be taken into further consideration on or after the 15th January 1917.

Draft Order.

Whereas M R Rv. Diwan Bahadur S. Rm. M. Ramaswami Chettiyer Avargal of Chidambaram in the South Arcot district has, under section 6 (1) of the Charitable Endowments Act, 18 0, made an application for the vesting in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments, Madras, of the endowment consisting of the Government promissory notes to the value of Rs 1,200 specified in the following schedule for the award of medals in the board elementary school at Azisnagar in the said district, the Governor in Council, in exercise of his powers under section 4 (1) of the Act, hereby directs that the endowment shall vest in the Treasurer of Charitable Endowments for the territories subject to the Government of Madras and be held by him and his successors (subject to the provisions of the said Charitable Endowments Act and to any rules which may from time to time be framed thereunder by the Governor-General of India in Council) upon trust for the purpose and subject to the conditions set forth in a scheme under section 5 of the Act for the administration of the endowment :—

Schedule.

Number of Government promissory notes.	Description of loan.	Amount.
		Rs.
M006228	3½ per cent loan of 1879 ..	1,000
M006709	Do. ..	200

No. 1259.—The following draft of a scheme, under section 5 (1) of the Charitable Endowments Act, 1890, for the administration of the endowment referred to in notification 1258 supra is published. It will be taken into further consideration on or after the 15th January 1917.

Draft Scheme.

Whereas M.R.Rv. Diwan Bahadur S. Rm. M. Ramaswami Chettiyer Avargal of Chidambaram in the South Arcot district has, under section 6 (1) of the Charitable Endowments Act, 1890, made an application for the settlement of a scheme for the administration of the endowment made by him and known as the "Diwan Bahadur S. Rm. M. Ramaswami Chettiyar's endowment," the Governor in Council, in exercise of his powers under section 5 (1) of the Act, hereby directs that the said endowment shall be administered by the South Arcot District Board subject to the following conditions :—

(1) The endowment will be called the "Diwan Bahadur S. Rm. M. Ramaswami Chettiyar's endowment."

(2) From and out of the interest accruing from the investment (viz., the Government promissory notes constituting the endowment) five silver medals will be awarded each year in the name of Sir Harold Stuart, K.C.V.O., K.C.S.I., to the first five boys in the highest class in the board elementary school at Azisnagar on the recommendations of the President of the South Arcot District Board.

(3) All interest on the said investment which may not be required for the above purpose in any year shall be accumulated and added to the principal of the endowment.

(4) If at any time the District Board should consider that the elementary school at Azisnagar is unnecessary and if the school is consequently abolished, the said board shall utilize the interest accruing from the endowment for similar purposes in favour of any of the elementary schools in the district, preferably in favour of schools attached to criminal settlements ; provided that the medals shall always continue to be awarded in the name of Sir Harold Stuart, K.C.V.O., K.C.S.I.

No. 1260.—Under section 39 of the Madras City Municipal Act, 1904, and with reference to No. 2 of the rules for the conduct of elections of Municipal Commissioners of the Madras Corporation, published in notification No. 568 at pages 193 and 194 of Part I-A of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 27th March 1906, the Governor in Council is pleased to notify that an election of a Commissioner for the 1st Municipal division of the City of Madras will be held on the 8th day of January 1917 between the hours of 7 a.m. and 6 p.m. at the Police station, Mannarswami Koil street, Royapuram, where the votes of the electors will be taken.

All nominations of candidates for the vacancy should be signed by at least two electors of the division and must be submitted to the President of the Corporation on or before the 21st December 1916 in the following form :—

CORPORATION OF MADRAS.

ELECTION FOR THE 1ST DIVISION TO BE HELD ON 8TH JANUARY 1917.

We, the undersigned, being duly qualified electors, nominate the undermentioned as a candidate at the ensuing election.

Name.	Description.	Abode.	Occupation.

Date *Signature*

The same electors shall not nominate more than one candidate.
The President will receive these nominations at the Municipal Office.

No. 1261.—

APPLICATION of the Trichinopoly District Board for a loan of Rs. 18,200 from Government under the Local Authorities Loans Act, 1914.

The purpose for which the loan is required and where the loan is required for any of the purposes specified in clauses (i), (ii), (iii) or (iv) of sub-section (1) of section 3 of the Local Authorities Loans Act, 1914, an estimate of the cost of the entire work or such part of it as it is proposed to carry out from loan funds.	For the payment of a contribution of a fourth of the estimated cost of constructing for the benefit of the inhabitants of the Trichinopoly distr: a bridge across the Amaravati at Chinnadharapuram Estimated cost Rs. 37,000 Amount of contribution to be paid by the District Board, Rs. 26,250.
The amount which it is proposed to borrow	Rs. 18 200.
The fund on the security of which it is proposed to borrow.	The Trichinopoly District Board funds
The law under which the said fund is levied, received or held.	The Madras Local Boards Act, 1884.
The dates within which the money is to be borrowed and when it is proposed to raise a loan in instalments, the amount of each instalment, the dates within which the first instalment is to be taken or raised and the years in which it is intended to take or raise the other instalments.	To be taken in one instalment in 1917-18.
The rate of interest at which it is proposed to borrow ..	5 per cent per annum.
The term of years for which the money is to be borrowed and the method by which it is to be repaid. If it is proposed to repay the loan by means of a sinking fund the rate of interest at which the improvement of such sinking fund is to be calculated shall also be stated.	To be repaid in four equal annual instalments.
An account of the financial position of the local authority including a statement of all existing prior charges on its funds	A statement showing the receipts and expenditure for the three preceding years is attached hereto.
Remarks	Prior charges.—Nil Nil

STATEMENT of Receipts and Charges of the Trichinopoly District Board for the Official years 1913–14, 1914–15 and 1915–16.

Details.	Actuals, 1913-14	Actuals, 1914-15.	Actuals, 1915-16.
Receipts.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Opening balance under service heads on 1st April	3,14,738	4,87,271	4,99 943
Land revenue—			
House tax	30,434	28,810	27,816
Rents, etc., fisheries by civil officers	11,957	13,678	12,581
By public works officers	..	201	..
Miscellaneous	460	359	264
Local rates—			
Cess on land	2,42,811	2,38,860	2,20,520
Railway-cess	..	..	27,781
Interest—			
On Government securities (other than provident fund)	6,883	6 305	6,703
On arrears of revenue	367	357	167
Law and Justice—Courts of Law—			
Fines under police and other Acts	1,869	1,874	2,043
Education—			
School fees	30,109	30,772	31,888
Contributions	28,456	27,473	34,938
Miscellaneous	469	469	393
Medical—			
Contributions	3,025	3,013	3 350
Other items	2,021	2,443	2 385
Minor Departments—			
Veterinary receipts	1,373	855	796
Other items	25	..	20
Miscellaneous—			
Chavdry receipts	5,170	4,828	5,258
Markets and slaughter-house receipts	64,496	42,587	37,087
Contributions	111	300	1,992
Other items	3,631	4,858	4,857
Civil Works—			
Ferry receipts	40,737	36,119	38,948
Tolls	1,13,384	1,10,132	1,17,631
Contributions—			
Special imperial grant out of 14 lakhs	53,000	55,000	60,500
Other contributions	1,13,659	1,62,304	16,255
Other receipts	..	..	..
By civil officers	29,917	22,547	17,995
By Public Works officers	..	94	257
Total receipts under service heads	8,18,476	8,26,181	7,21,080
Grand total including opening balance ..	11,33,214	13,13,452	12,21,023

Statement of Receipts and Charges of the Trichinopoly District Board for the Official years 1913–14, 1914–15 and 1915–16—*contd.*

Details.	Actuals, 1913–14.	Actuals, 1914–15.	Actuals, 1915–16.
Charges	Rs	Rs.	Rs.
Refunds—			
Land revenue	97	78	15
Local rates	60	..	238
Interest—			
On loans	..	..	..
General Administration—			
General establishment of local funds	19,421	21,462	20,640
Contributions	4,066	..	168
Miscellaneous	3,186	4,188	3,423
Education—			
Secondary schools	36,893	33,870	32,057
Elementary schools	97,246	1,07,149	1,02,141
Seminary and technical schools	1,383	1,435	1,340
Grants-in-aid	..	..	..
Scholarships	2,788	2,688	2,731
Contributions	200	200	200
Refunds	12	17	25
Medical—			
Medical establishment	1,086	1,840	1,478
Hospitals and dispensaries	44,544	46,837	49,301
Vaccination	7,181	6,177	7,399
Sanitation	24,151	27,588	21,024
Charges on account of plague	103	178	221
Charges of other epidemics	1,097	1,081	1,082
Contributions	4,818	4,182	4,040
Refunds	..	..	..
Minor Departments—			
Veterinary charges	2,461	2,870	2,872
Superannuation—			
Pensions	2,130	788	850
Gratuities	..	185	494
Contributions	1,650	2,402	1,912
Donation to service funds	2,833	3,000	3,075
Stationery and Printing—			
Printing work done at Government presses	139	169	113
Printing at private presses	3,904	4,181	3,101
Miscellaneous—			
Rewards for destruction of dogs, etc.	6	12	12
Contributions	642	1,123	847
Markets	1,353	1,477	1,080
Slaughter-houses	41	38	34
Cart-stands	..	42	41
Choultries	2,079	2,278	2,152
Lighting charges	7,490	7,856	7,283
Refunds	19	95	3
Other items	274	428	558
Civil works—			
By Civil Officers—			
New Works—			
Civil buildings	18,198	31,995	24,879
Communications	30,441	71,879	64 224
Sanitary works and other works of public improvements	16,481	24,661	28,015
Repairs—			
Civil buildings	7,259	9,810	10,481
Communications	2,18,197	2,67,780	2,35,540
Sanitary works and other works of public improvements	17 335	26,542	28,277
Establishment	34,810	40,913	37,008
Tools and plant	2,437	2,822	2,918
Sinking bungalows	1,267	1,234	895
Rebates	831	930	2,474
Contributions	34,819	46,396	46,348
By Public Works Officers—			
Repairs—			
Communications	2,717	2,727	2,452
Total charges under service heads	5,49,943	5,16,819	5,32,540
Balance	4,87,271	4,99,943	5,07,883

No. 1262.—Under section 145 of the Madras Local Boards Act, 1884, the Governor in Council publishes the following draft of an alteration which it is proposed to make in rule 81 (b) made under clause (viii) of section 144 of the said Act and published in notification No. 500 at page 181 of Part I-A of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 10th March 1914. Any objection or suggestion which may be made in respect of the draft on or before the 1st January 1917 will be examined. None received after that date can be considered.

Alteration.

Omit the words "appointed after 20th May 1891" in paragraph 1.

ACQUISITION OF LANDS.

No. 1283.—Under section 6 of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 18½ square yards, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for the widening of a street in Sangadigunta in the Guntur municipality; and, under sections 3 and 7, the Revenue Divisional Officer, Guntur, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

2. A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Revenue Divisional Officer, Guntur, and may be inspected at any time during office hours.

SCHEDULE.

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or pormboke, with survey or patnnah number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
Guntur district, Guntur taluk, Guntur village.			
Village-site ..	Kidambi Tiruvallur Viraraghava Acharyulu.	North, public lane, east, K. Tiruvallur Viraraghava Acharyulu's house; south and west, public lane.	sq. yds. 14½
Do. ..	Do.	Do. do.	4½
		Total ..	18½

No. 1284.—Under section 6 of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 480 square feet, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for widening the Vishitra Rayar street in the Mayavaram municipality leading to Tiruvilandar; and, under sections 3 and 7, the Revenue Divisional Officer, Mayavaram, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

2. A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Revenue Divisional Officer, Mayavaram, and may be inspected at any time during office hours.

SCHEDULE.

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or pormbokke, with survey or patnnah number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
Tanjore district, Mayavaram taluk, Mayavaram village.			
T. S. No. 691 ..	Bhavani Ammal, wife of Kuppuswami Ayyar	North, No. 681 A., east, No. 682; south, No. 688, west, No. 690.	sq. yds. 480

No. 1285.—Under section 3 of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 3 cents, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for sinking a drinking-water well; and, under sections 3 and 7, the Revenue Divisional Officer, Madanapalle, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

2. A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Revenue Divisional Officer, Madanapalle, and may be inspected at any time during office hours.

SCHEDULE.

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or pormbokke, with survey or patnnah number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
Chittoor district, Madanapalle taluk, Pattiredallapalle village.			
Circar, dry, S. No. 1199.	Thokala Papigadu, Chinna Ramanna-gari Munappa, Thokala Venkataravudu, Gangadu, Munappagari Venkatappa, Sahbadu, Thokala Venkatasungari Venkatigadu and Peddareddigari Munappa.	North, east, south and west, S. No. 994 ..	CENTS. 3

No. 1266.—Under section 6 of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 10,104 square feet, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for a pathway to a public drinking water well and to the Zamindarpatti Settlement in Goripalayam village, Madura municipality; and, under sections 3 and 7, the Revenue Divisional Officer, Madura, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

2. A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Revenue Divisional Officer, Madura, and may be inspected at any time during office hours.

SCHEDULE

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or pannaikkal, with survey or patnaik number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
	Madura district, Madura taluk. Inam Goripalayam village.		A. P.
Inam wet, T.S. No. 1567.	Path, Sayid Ibrahimsha and Sayid Mir Ghulam Hasan.	North, T.S. No. 1567; east, T.S. No. 1558-2; south, No. 1567; west, channel	3,216
	Inam Sokkulam village.		
Inam dry, T.S. No. 1558-2.	Sultan Bibi	North, T.S. No. 1559; east, T.S. No. 1556; south and west, T.S. No. 1558-2	1,442
	Inam Goripalayam village.		
Nanjam, inam fully assessed wet, T.S. No. 1558-1.	Sultan Bibi, Sayid Abdul Qadir, Sayid Qadir Sahib, and Sayid Abbasumah Sahib.	North, east, south and west, No. 1558-2 ..	4,238
Do. No. 1558-1.	Do do.	North, T.S. No. 1558-1; east, T.S. No. 1347; south, T.S. No. 1558-2; west, T.S. No. 1558-3.	3,928
Inam wet, T.S. No. 1560.	Arumukhavan Servai, Perinkaruppan Servai, Thoppulan, Periyanuthan Servai, Pichan Servai, Sinnamuthu Servai and Raman Servai.	North, T.S. No. 1561; east, road; south, T.S. Nos. 1346, 1347 and 1558-1; west, T.S. No. 1559.	2,044
Inam dry, T.S. No. 1347.	Sayid Rasul Sahib	North, T.S. No. 1560; east, T.S. No. 1346; south, T.S. No. 1347; west, T.S. No. 1558-1.	630
Do. No. 1346.	Arumukhavan Servai, Perinkaruppan Servai, Thoppuna, Periyanuthan Servai, Pichan Servai, Sinnamuthan Servai and Raman Servai.	North, T.S. No. 1560, east, road; south, T.S. No. 1346; west, T.S. No. 1347.	4,298
		Total ..	10,104

No. 1267.—Under section 6 of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 37 cents, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for the diversion of road No. 4 D (Karumbur-Eral road); and, under sections 3 and 7, the Revenue Divisional Officer, Tuticorin, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

2. A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Revenue Divisional Officer, Tuticorin, and may be inspected at any time during office hours.

SCHEDULE.

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or pannaikkal, with survey or patnaik number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
	Tinnevelly district, Tiruchendur taluk, Anguranpalam village.		CENTS.
Wet, No. 189 A 2 ..	46. N. Sayed Ali Pillai ..	North, No. 189 A 2; east, No. 189 A 2; south, No. 269; west, No. 189 A 1.	19½
Do. No. 189 B 1 E..	84. Savarimuthu Fernand and Jesurdia Fernand	North, No. 269; east, No. 189 B 1 C; south No. 190-1; west, No. 189 B 1 A.	13½
Do. No. 190-1 E ..	116. Jamuthan Marakkayar; pattadars (his brothers, Sulaiman Mira Sahib, Ahmad Mira Sahib and Sera Mudaliyar Sahib have interest).	North, No. 189 B 1, east, No. 190-1 E; south, No. 190-15 A; west, Nos. 195 and 190-1 A.	9
Do. No. 190-15 A ..	101. Mahamad Abdulkader Sahib	North, No. 190-1 E; east, No. 190-15 B; south and west, No. 196.	2
		Total ..	37

No. 1268.—Under section 6 of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 1,094 square feet, be the

ounce a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for scavenging lanes in the Srivilliputtur municipality; and, under sections 3 and 7, the Revenue Divisional Officer, Sivakasi, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

2. A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Revenue Divisional Officer, Sivakasi, and may be inspected at any time during office hours.

SCHEDULE.

Description of land, wet or dry, kism or pattabook, with survey or patnah number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
	Ramnad district, Srivilliputtur taluk, Srivilliputtur village.		
Nyelvari pattaon pottambokku, S No 1-B 1—			Ac. rs.
Door No. 57 ..	1. Srinivasa Ayyangar, son of Vaidinatharama Ayyangar.	North, remaining portion of door No. 57; east, lane; south, Sadikadutha Vinayagar koil, west, door No. 58.	02
Do. No. 58 ..	2. Namberumal Ayyangar, son of Krishna Ayyangar.	North, remaining portion of door No. 58; east, door No. 57; south, Sadikadutha Vinayagar koil; west, door No. 59.	02
Do. No. 61 .	3. Krishna Ayyangar, son of Ponna Ayyangar.	North, remaining portion of door No. 61; east, door No. 60; south, door No. 62, West Car street; west, door No. 62	01
Do. No. 62 .	4. Kantiadai Ayyangar, alias Chellam Ayyangar, son of Ponna Ayyangar.	North, remaining portion of door No. 62; east, door No. 61; south, door No. 63, West Car street; west, door No. 59	01
Do. No. 63 ..	5. Tirumalai Ayyangar, son of Dalavaikhanami Ayyangar.	North, remaining portion of door No. 63; east, door No. 62; south, door No. 64, West Car street; west, door No. 61	02
Do. No. 64 ..	6. Tiruvali Ayyangar, son of Periyappangar	North, remaining portion of door No. 64; east, door No. 63; south, door No. 65, West Car street; west, door No. 60.	02
Do. No. 65 ..	7. Ranga Ayyangar, son of Kuppan Ayyangar	North, remaining portion of door No. 65; east, door, No. 64; south, door No. 66, West Car street; west, door No. 60.	04
Do. No. 66 .	8. Tirumalai Ayyangar, son of Dalavaikhanami Ayyangar.	North, remaining portion of door No. 66; east, door No. 65; south, door No. 68, West Car street; west, door No. 67.	04
Do. No. 70 ..	9. Kattiyam Alwar Ayyan, son of Kattiyam Sethu Ayyan.	South, door No. 69; east, vacant land belonging to Ranga Ayyan in Library street; south, Library street; west, remaining portion of door No. 70.	09
Do. No. 70	10. Kattiyam Rama Ayyan, son of Kattiyam Sethu Ayyan.	North, door No. 71; east, vacant land belonging to Ranga Ayyan in Library street; south, door No. 70; west, remaining portion of door No. 69.	05
Do. No. 81 ..	11. Ranga Ayyan, son of Alwar Ayyan.	North, door No. 82; east, vacant land belonging to Ranga Ayyan in Library street, south, door No. 80; west remaining portion of door No. 81.	02
Do. No. 82 ..	12. Lakshmi Ammal, wife of Tiruvengadatha Ayyan.	North, door No. 83; east, vacant land belonging to Ranga Ayyan in Library street; south, door No. 81; west, remaining portion of door No. 82.	05
Do. No. 83 ..	13. Ramanuja Vanayogi Ayyan, son of Sakti Gopala Ayyan.	North, door No. 84; east, vacant land belonging to Ranga Ayyan in Library street; south, door No. 82; west, remaining portion of door No. 83.	03
Do. No. 84 ..	14. Sesha Ayyan, son of Viraraghava Perumal Ayyan and Thuppavai Ammal, wife of Krishna Ayyan.	North, vacant land of V. Tiruvengadatha Ayyan; east, vacant land belonging to Ranga Ayyan in Library street, south, door No. 83, west, remaining portion of door No. 84.	03
Vacant land ..	15. Tiruvengadatha Ayyan, son of Vadhulatira Ayyan.	North, vacant land of Rama Ayyan, east, vacant land belonging to Ranga Ayyan in Library street; south, door No. 84; west, remaining portion of vacant land.	14
Do. ..	16. K. Rama Ayyan, son of mirasi Gopala Ayyan.	North, vacant land of V Tiruvengadatha Pillai; east, Appava Chettiyar's house in Sadikadutha Vinayagar koil street; south, vacant land of Tiruvengadatha Ayyan, west, remaining portion of the vacant land	38
Do. ..	17. Tiruvengadatha Pillai, son of sakti Vadamalayappa Pillai.	North, door No. 86, east, Appava Chettiyar's house in Sadikadutha Vinayagar koil street; south, vacant land of Rama Ayyan; west, remaining portion of the vacant land,	03
Door No. 88 ..	18 Srinivasa Ayyan, son of Sesha Ayyan.	North, door No. 87, east, Appava Chettiyar's house in Sadikadutha Vinayagar koil street, south, vacant land of V. Tiruvengadatha Pillai; west, remaining portion of door No. 88.	04
Do. No. 87 ..	19. Annaswami Ayyan, son of Appan Ayyan	North, door No. 88, east, Appava Chettiyar's house in Sadikadutha Vinayagar koil street; south, door No. 86; west, remaining portion of door No. 87.	03
Do. No 89 ..	20. Annaswami Ayyan, son of Appan Ayyan, Library street.	North, door No 89; east, Sadika lutha Vinayagar koil; south, door No. 91; west, remaining portion of door No. 89.	10
Vacant land ..	21. Ranga Ayyan, son of Alwar Ayyan.	North, Appava Chettiyar's house in Sadikadutha Vinayagar koil street; east, remaining portion of the vacant land belonging to Ranga Ayyan, south, Library street, west, back yard portions of doors Nos. 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84 and the vacant land, items Nos. 9 to 16.	184
		Total .	1,094

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No. 1268.—Under section 6 of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 1 acre, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for a burning and burial ground at Kottapeta; and, under sections 3 and 7, the Tahsildar of Razole is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

2. A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Tahsildar of Razole and may be inspected at any time during office hours.

SCHEDULE.

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or poramboke, with survey or puimash number	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
Godavari District, Razole taluk, Kottapeta village.			
Zamindari, punja, S. No. 183	Sakdi Timmaraju, Raja of Pittapuram	North and east, No. 188; south, No. 187; west, No. 183.	acre. 1

No. 1270.—Under section 6 of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 15,797 square links, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for sinking two wells and laying out conduit pipes in the Tuticorin municipality; and, under sections 3 and 7, the Revenue Divisional Officer, Tuticorin, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

2. A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Revenue Divisional Officer, Tuticorin, and may be inspected at any time during office hours.

SCHEDULE.

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or poramboke, with survey or puimash number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
Ramnad District, Srivaikuntam taluk, Tuticorin village			sq. lks.
Dry, S. No. 324 A-2.	Cruz Roche Arnool	North, S. No. 326 A; east, S. No. 324 A-2; south, S. No. 405; west S. No. 324 A-2.	1,980
Do. No. 326 A ..	I. X. Pereira ..	North, S. No. 327; east, S. No. 326 A; south, S. No. 324 A-2; west, S. No. 327.	1,425
Do. No. 327-3 ..	Paramasivam Pillai	North, S. No. 284; east, S. No. 327; south, S. No. 326 A; west, S. No. 327.	1,410
Do. No. 279 B-1.	I. X. Pereira	North, S. No. 279; east, S. No. 279 B; south, S. No. 284; west, S. No. 279 B.	1,064
Do. No. 140 ..	M. Shanmukham Pillai ..	North, part of S. No. 140; east and south, S. No. 231 B; west, S. No. 141.	5,026
		Total ..	15,797

No. 1271.—Under section 6 of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 0·16 of an acre, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for the construction of a Board Muhammadan school at Pedda Tippasamudram; and, under sections 3 and 7, the Tahsildar of Madanapalle is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

2. A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Tahsildar of Madanapalle and may be inspected at any time during office hours.

SCHEDULE.

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or poramboke, with survey or puimash number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
Chittoor district, Madanapalle taluk, Pedda Tippasamudram village.			acre.
Cheri wet, S. No. 128-1	Tandem Venkata Reddi	North, S. No. 128-3-5, east, S. No. 129-3; south, S. No. 127; west, S. No. 129-4-B.	0·06
Do. No. 129-4 B	Gollapenum Venkata Subbamma.	North, S. No. 129-4; east, S. No. 129-1; south, S. No. 129; west, S. No. 129-4 A.	0·10
		Total ..	0·16

No. 1272.—Under section 6 of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 0·35 of an acre, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a gravel quarry; and, under sections 3 and 7, the Revenue Divisional Officer, Tellicherry, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

2. A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Revenue Divisional Officer, Tellicherry, and may be inspected at any time during office hours.

SCHEDULE.

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or paramboke, with survey or paimash number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
Malabar District, Chirakkal taluk, Pachchi village.			
Ryotwari unoccupied dry, portion of S. No. 252.	Jamal Pachchi Devasom Urallar Ittiseri Illathil Chathappan Nambiyar Ayodhyaramanbhatanl; Ammadar, Kuniyil Thallan Kuchambooli.	North, S. No. 252, (portion); east and south, S. No. 253; west, S. No. 251.	ACRE 0 35

No. 1273.—Under section 6 of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 1·00 acre, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for the construction of a school at Mounkapattu, North Arcot district; and, under sections 3 and 7, the Revenue Divisional Officer, Cheyyar, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

2. A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Revenue Divisional Officer, Cheyyar, and may be inspected at any time during office hours.

SCHEDULE.

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or parambeke, with survey or paimash number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
North Arcot District, Cheyyar taluk, Malputtur village.			
Government dry, S. No. 77-1	Kuliappa Udayan, minor, by guardian Sakuramal; Virabhadra Udayan, minor, by guardian Lakshmi Ammal.	North, S. No. 135 of Mounkapattu; east, dry S. No. 77-2 of Malputtur village; south, dry S. No. 77-2 of Malputtur; west, limits of Tirumani village.	acs. 1 00
Do. No. 77-2	Venkatachala Udayan and Muruguppa Udayan.	North, S. No. 134 of Muruguppatty; east, dry S. No. 75-1 of Malputtur; south, dry S. No. 77-2 of Malputtur; west, dry S. No. 77-1 of Malputtur.	0 98
Mounkapattu village.			
Village-site parambeke, S. No. 135-1.	Nagaiam Abbayi Chetti ..	North, street in village-site parambeke and S. No. 134 of Mounkapattu village; east, village-site parambeke S. No. 135-2 of Mounkapattu village and Jayaram Chetti's pan atta; south, dry S. No. 77-1 of Malputtur; west, village-site parambeke S. No. 135-1 of Mounkapattu and Nagaiam Abbayi Chetti's pan atta.	0 02
		Total ..	1 00

No. 1274.—Under section 6 of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 0·21 of an acre, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for the extension of the burial-ground for Madigas at Allure, Nellore; and, under sections 3 and 7, the Revenue Divisional Officer, Kavali, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land.

2. A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Revenue Divisional Officer, Kavali, and may be inspected at any time during office hours.

SCHEDULE.

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or poramboke, with survey or patta nth number	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up
Kilvaru district, Kovur taluk, Alluru village			
Govt., wet, No 824-2 E	Vanjavukka Raghava Reddi, Vanjavukka Venga Reddi and Vanjavukka Subba Reddi.	North, patta land, S. No 824-1 A, east, S. No. 823-3, Madiga burial-ground; south, S. No. 825, channel; west, donka	ACRE. 0·21

No 1275.—Under section 6 of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, the Governor in Council hereby declares that the land mentioned in the following schedule and measuring 2¼ cents, be the same a little more or less, is needed for a public purpose, to wit, for constructing a school-building at P. E. Chinnayapalem; and, under sections 3 and 7, the Deputy Tahsildar, Tuni, is appointed to perform the functions of a Collector under the Act and directed to take order for the acquisition of the said land

2. A plan of the land is kept in the office of the Deputy Tahsildar, Tuni, and may be inspected at any time during office hours.

SCHEDULE

Description of land, wet or dry, inam or poramboke, with survey or patta nth number.	Name of owner or occupier.	Boundaries of the land required to be taken up.	Extent to be taken up.
Godavari district, Tuni division, P. E. Chinnayapalem village.			
Dry, village-site with a building thereon.	Raja of Pithapuram	North and east, vacant village-site; south, public street; west, lane.	CENTS. 2¼

R. A. GRAHAM,
Acting Secretary to Government.

(Medical.)

LEAVE

Fort St. George, November 30, 1916.

No. 17.—Civil Assistant Surgeon Rajavya Robert Williams, M.B. & C.M., acting Civil Surgeon, Koraput, privilege leave for one month from or after the 26th December 1916 under article 260 of the Civil Service Regulations

APPOINTMENTS.

Fort St. George, November 29, 1916.

No. 18.—Major Edmund Arthur Roberts, I.M.S., to be District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Coimbatore, with effect from the 27th January 1916.

No. 19.—Captain James MacGregor Skinner, I.M.S., to be District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Guntur, with effect from the 29th January 1916.

No. 20.—Major James Kirkwood, I.M.S., to be District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Anantapur, with effect from the 10th February 1916.

No. 21.—Captain Alexander Patrick Gordon Lorimer, I.M.S., to be Resident Medical Officer, Government General Hospital, Madras, with effect from the 10th April 1916.

No. 22.—Major Edward Charles Cecil Maunsell, I.M.S., to be Third Surgeon, Government General Hospital, and Superintendent, Government Voluntary Venereal Hospital, Madras, with effect from 27th April 1916.

NOTIFICATION.

No. 23.—The following notification of the Government of India is republished :—

HOME DEPARTMENT

MEDICAL

Simla, the 2nd November 1916.

No 847.—The services of the undermentioned officers are placed permanently at the disposal of the Government of Madras with effect from the dates noted against their names. Their services will remain temporarily at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief in India :—

Major E. A. Roberts, I.M.S., 27th January 1916.
Captain J. M. Skinner, M.B., I.M.S., 29th January 1916.
Major J. Kirkwood, M.D., R.A.M.C., I.M.S., 10th February 1916.
Captain A. P. G. Lorimer, M.B., I.M.S., 10th April 1916.
Major E. C. C. Maunsell, M.D., I.M.S., 27th April 1916.

R. A. GRAHAM,
Acting Secretary to Government.

(Plague.)

NOTIFICATIONS.

Fort St. George, November 21, 1916.

No. 189-P.—The following notification of the Government of India, Department of Education, (Sanitary—Plague), No. 513, dated the 15th November 1916, is republished:—

Whereas the Governor-General in Council is satisfied that there is a danger of an outbreak of dangerous epidemic disease at Chidambaram in the Chidambaram taluk of the South Arcot district, Madras Presidency, if persons from the Mysore State are permitted to assemble at that place on the occasion of the ensuing Arudradarsanam festival:

In exercise of the power conferred by section 2, sub-section (1) of the Epidemic Diseases Act, 1897 (III of 1897), the Governor-General in Council is pleased to direct that no tickets to travel by railway to the stations of Alapakam, Pudurluttiram, Porto Novo, Killa, Chidambaram, Vallampadugai, Colerson, Arasur and Shiyali on the South Indian Railway shall be sold from the 24th December 1916 to the 7th January 1917 (both days inclusive) within the Mysore State to any person intending or believed to be intending to proceed to the Arudradarsanam festival at Chidambaram.

Fort St. George, December 1, 1916.

No. 180-P.—Under rule 2 of the Madras Plague Regulations in force outside the Presidency town the Governor in Council hereby declares the municipality and the taluk of Walajapet in the South Arcot district to be under observation.

Fort St. George, December 8, 1916.

No. 181-P.—In modification of notification No. 168-P., published on pages 877–880 of Part I-A of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 28th November 1916, the following revised lists of plague-infected areas and of notification stations are published:—

A.—PLAGUE-INFECTED AREAS.

I.—In the Madras Presidency.

District.	Taluk.	Village or town.	District.	Taluk.	Village or town.
Anantapur.	Hindupur ..	Chooluru.	Bellary—cont.	Harpanahalli.	Ilanihalli.
	Penukonda.	Kogiru (including its hamlet Kamalapalli).			Chigateri.
		Torakalapatnam			Chintahalli.
	Gudiyattam.	Gudiyattam.			Gajapuram.
		Jedikommanavaripalli.			Hiriyapalli.
		Porsanampatta town			Honakota.
		Ramalai.			Kudabageri.
					Nagawankallahalli.
					Nandibevuru.
					Nettaru.
					Yavaragundi.
					Yavalaru.
Arcot, North.	Vellore ..	Ambur town.		Kudligi ..	Ambali.
		Sanaskoppam.			Bevur.
		Senpakkam.			Kaditanaanggi.
					Ulavatti.
	Walajahpet.	Arcot town.	Chittoor ..	Palmaner ..	Honnamajali
		Dasaparam.			Modamandadili.
Palnad ..	Hadagalli ..	Adivi Kyadigihalli.	Coimbatore.	Coimbatore.	Alandurai.
		Basavkalla (including its hamlet Kundanahalli).			Coimbatore.
		Gaddikeri.			Devarayapuram.
		Hampasagaram.			Kalappatti.
		Hanumagondanahalli.			Kukkanayakkanpalayam.
		Holagondi.			Kavundanpalaiyam.
		Itagi.			Komarapalaiyam.
		Kogali.			Kuruhubi
		Mongeri.			Nanjundapuram.
		Sogi.			Paonimadu.
		Sonna.			Paluvapatti.
		Uttongi.			Sengarai.
		Yenigi Balapuram.			Settipalaiyam.
					Singanallur.

I.—In the Madras Presidency—cont.

District.	Taluk.	Village or town.	District.	Taluk.	Village or town.
Coimbatore —*cont.*	Coimbatore —*cont.*	Sirupalaiyam.		Palladam —*cont.*	Tirappur.
		Somanipalaiyam.			Tottiyanpalaiyam.
		Telungupalaiyam.			Ugayanur.
		Tennamanallur.			Vadumbachabari.
		Tondamuttur.			Vadugapalaiyam (Palladam union).
		Tudiyalur.			Velampalaiyam.
		Vadivelli			Virapandi.
		Vellarpatti.			
		Vellalur.			
		Vitakeralam.			Avalappampatti.
					Derampadi.
		Dharapuram.			Gemangalam.
	Dharapuram.	Nanjiyamcalaiyam.			Kappalankarai.
		Sivasaruttanpalaiyam.			Kondakavundanpalaiyam.
	Erode ..	Erode.		Pollachi ..	Muttar (Uttokuli Zamin).
	Gobichettipalaiyam.	Punjai Puliampatti.	Coimbatore —*cont.*		Nayakkanpalaiyam.
					Pollachi.
					Rasakkapalaiyam.
					Sethyakkapalaiyam
					Tippampatti.
		Anaipuram.			
		Bastipuram.			Andikaundanur.
		Budubalu.			Andivur.
		Channchagondlu.			Bedipatti.
		Chikkidaradi.			Budinattam (North).
		Doddidaradi.			Elayamuttur.
		Gangadarankutte.			Ganapatipalaiyam.
		Gundegalam.			Jallipatti.
		Hanur.			Jattampatti.
		Hosamalinga.			Kanakkampalaiyam.
Coimbatore —*cont.*	Kollegal ..	Ikkadahalli.			Kaniyur.
		Kannur.			Kanniamanayakkanur.
		Kollegal.			Komaralingam.
		Kongarahalli.			Koralakottai.
		Kunagalli.			Karunjuri.
		Linganapuram.			Pallapalaiyam.
		Maduvanalli.			Pulavadi.
		Mangalam.			Ragalubavi.
		Muddinedam.			Sennivirampatti.
		Palaiyam.			Sirkarkannadiputtur.
		Saravur.			Udumalpet.
		Satteguiam.			
		Singanallur.			
		Uganiyam.			
		Aramur.	Madura ..	Palni ..	Ayakkudi.
		Kallapalaiyam.			
		Kannampalaiyam.	Malabar ..	Chirakkal ..	Bellapatam.
		Karadibavi.			
		Karappudur.			Coonoor.[5]
		Kudla Ayyampalaiyam.			Hosuti (Jakatala village).
		Konarapalaiyam.	Nilgiris, The.	Coonoor ..	Old Aravankadu (Ulutabai village).
		Mangalam.			Wellington Cantonment.
		Nallur.			
		Nallyapuram.			Peddanayakkanpalaiyam.
		Nerunjerichchal.			
	Palladam ..	Nilambur.		Attur ..	Sinnanna Samudram
		Old Arasalayam.			
		Palladam.		Dharmapuri	Erramahalli.
		Pappanpatti.			Laligam.
		Pattanam.			Agalakottai.
		Pidamalla.			Badatepalli.
		Pudupalaiyam.	Salem ..		
		Rangapalaiyam.			
		Sennamanaikan-palaiyam.		Hosur ..	Bannarugatta.
		Seri Puttur.			Bagepalli.
		Sukkampalaiyam.			Bitarodi.
		Talakkarai.			Devar Ulinangalam
					Dodda Ubbanur.

I.—In the Madras Presidency—cont.

District.	Taluk.	Village or town.	District.	Taluk.	Village or town.
Salem—*cont.*	Hosur—*cont.*	Kammangalam.	Salem—*cont.*	Hosur—*cont.*	Saragapalli.
		Kalamangalam.			Sattanur.
		Kambatti.			Satyamangalam.
		Kommarapalli.		Omalur ..	Nangavalli.
		Kottapalli.			Vazhavanai.
		Kundumarapalli.		Salem ..	Odavankurichchi.
		Matagondapalli.			Puduppalaiyam.
		Mattigiri.			Rasipuram.
		Morasur.			Salem.
		Muttam Agraharam.		Tiruchengode	Edangan Salai.
		Nallur.			Edappadi.
		Parihakotta.			Kumarapalaiyam Agraharam.
		Pithamathagondapalli.			
		Punapalli.	South Canara.	Mangalore ..	Mangalore.

II.—Outside the Madras Presidency.

Presidency or Province.	Interested Inhabitants. Districts and states, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Presidency or Province.	Interested Inhabitants. Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.
Mysore ..	The whole province.	III. Bihar and Orissa.	(a) Districts—
	1. *Northern Division*—		Bhagalpur.
	(a) Districts—		Darbhanga.
	Kaira.		Gaya.
	Surat.		Monghyr.
	(b) Towns and ports—		Muzaffarpur.
	Bandra.		Patna.
	Bombay.		Saran.
	Surat.		Shahabad.
	Thana.		(b) Town—
			Patna.
	2. *Central Division*—	IV. The Punjab.	(a) Districts—
	(a) Districts—		Ambala.
	Ahmednagar		Gurgaon.
	East Khandesh.		Jhelum.
	Poona.		Hoshiarpur.
	Satara.		Rawalpindi.
	Sholapur.		
	West Khandesh.		
	(b) Towns—		
	Poona.		
	Shnlapur.		
	3. *Southern Division*—	V. Burma ..	(a) Districts—
II. Bombay.	(a) Districts—		Amherst.
	Belgaum.		Bhamo.
	Bijapur.		Henzada.
	Dharwar.		Maubin.
	Kanara.		Myaungmya.
	Kolaba.		Prome.
	Ratnagiri.		Tharrawaddy.
	(b) Towns and ports—		Toungoo.
	Hubli.		
	Ratnagiri.		(b) Towns and ports—
	Thal.		Bassein.
			Rangoon.
	4. *Political Charges*—		(c) State—
	States and Agencies—		Northern Shan States.
	Akalkot State.		
	Baroda State.		
	Bhor State.	VI. The United Provinces.	(a) Districts—
	Bijapur Agency.		Azamgarh
	Kathiawar Agency.		Ballia.
	Kolhapur and Southern Mahratta Country.		Basti.
	Mahgaul Port.		Benares.
	Rewa Kantha Agency.		Cawnpore.
	Satara Agency.		Farrukhabad.
	Sawantvadi State.		Fyzabad.
			Ghazipur
			Gonda
			Gorakhpur.
			Jaunpur.
			Muradabad.
			Muzaffarnagar.

II.—Outside the Madras Presidency—cont.

Presidency or Province.	Infected localities. Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.	Presidency or Province.	Infected localities. Districts and States, and Towns of 50,000 or more inhabitants.
VI. The United Provinces—*cont.*	(*a*) Districts—*cont.* Partabgarh. Rai Bareli. Sitapur. Sultanpur. Unao. (*b*) Town— Cawnpore.	VII. The Central Provinces—*cont.*	(*b*) Towns—*cont.* Kamptee Cantonment. Nagpur. Seoni. Wardha.
VII. The Central Provinces.	(*c*) Districts— Akola. Amraoti. Bandara. Buldana. Chanda. Nagpur. Nimar. Wardha. Yeotmal. (*d*) Towns— Akola. Amraoti. Bandara. Chanda. Chindwara. Jubbulpore.	VIII. Hyderabad State.	Districts— Aurangabad. Bidar. Bir. Gulbarga. Medak. Nalgonda. Nander. Nizamabad. Parbhani. Raichur. Usmanabad.
		IX. Central India.	(*a*) Towns— Indore. Indore Residency Bazaar. (*b*) States— Dhar. Gwalior.

B.—NOTIFICATION STATIONS.

South Indian Railway.

Mangalore.	Vanjipalaiyam.	Singanallur.
Azhikkal.	Erode.	Podanur.
Hosur.	Totiyapalaiyam.	Coimbatore.
Pollachi.	Chavadipalaiyam.	Tadiyalur.
Kavilpalaiyam.	Ariyanur.	Madukarai.
Kulipalaiyam.	Salem.	
Tiruppur.	Thunapatti.	

Nilgiri Railway.

Katari Road.	Coonoor.	Wellington.	Aravankadu.

Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway.

Mailpatti.	Kavanur.	Bevuru.
Ambur.	Maryasanahalli.	Kottur.
Vinnamangalam.	Hampapatnam.	Walajah Road.
Valathoor.	Hagaribommanahalli.	Ranipet.
Gudiyattam.	Malavai.	

C.—ROAD FRONTIER NOTIFICATION STATIONS.

Sivasamudram.	Hosur.	Toppakkadu.

D.—RAILWAY FRONTIER INSPECTION STATIONS.

Hospet.	Erwadi.	Jalarpet.
Raichur.	Hindupur.	

R. A. GRAHAM,
Acting Secretary to Government.

NOTIFICATIONS BY COLLECTORS AND PRESIDENTS OF DISTRICT BOARDS

M.R Ry. Y. Seshappa Garu has been duly elected as a member of the Gooty Taluk Board.

Anantapur Collector's Office,
28th November 1916.

I. MACIVER,
Collector.

Under section 16 of the Madras Local Boards Act V of 1884, M.R Ry. Samiah Mani Reddi Garu has been duly elected as a member of the Chandragiri Taluk Board in the district of Chittoor.

Chittoor Collector's Office,
26th November 1916.

H. L. BRAIDWOOD,
Collector.

Under section 18 of the Madras Local Boards Act, 1884, M.R.Ry. Rai Sahib Karai Gounder Marana Gounder Avargal and M.R Ry. Kumaranathur Chidambaram Pillai Sabha Pillai Avargal are declared to have been duly elected as members of the Coimbatore Taluk Board in the district of Coimbatore.

Coimbatore Collector's Office,
29th November 1916.

F. P. WALSH,
Acting Collector.

Under section 14 of the Madras Local Boards Act V of 1884, M.R.Ry. Maddada Venkatappala Nayudu Garu of Idalavalasa has been duly elected as a member of the Taluk Board, Chicacole, for the eastern firka, Chicacole taluk, Ganjam district.

Ganjam Collector's Office,
30th November 1916.

N. MACMICHAEL,
Collector

Under section 18 of the Madras Local Boards Act, 1884, M.R.Ry. Mumbeda Nagabhushanam Garu of Palasa, Narasapur taluk, is declared to have been duly returned unopposed as member of the Narasapur Taluk Board for Circle No. 2 comprising the firka of Penumadam, under rule 23 of the rules for the election of taluk board members

Kistna Collector's Office,
25th November 1916.

H. E. BURKITT,
Collector.

Under section 10 of the District Municipalities Act, IV of 1884, M.R.Ry. Periyakulam Suriyanarayana Ayyar Nageswara Ayyar Avargal has been duly elected as a councillor of the Periyakulam municipality.

Madura Collector's Office,
30th November 1916.

G. F. PADDISON,
Collector.

Under section 10 of the Madras District Municipalities Act of 1884 M.R.Ry. Nambi Sundararajam Chetti Garu has been duly elected as a councillor of the Wallajah municipality.

North Arcot Collector's Office,
1st December 1916.

J. N. ROY,
Collector.

M.R Ry. S. R. Sadagopa Mudaliyar, son of Krishnaswami Modaliyar, mittadar of Annadanapatti, and M.R Ry. Muthu Gounder, son of Rangaswami Gounder, Perasalpatti, have been elected as members of the Salem Taluk Board.

Salem Collector's Office,
28th November 1916.

E. W. LEGH,
Collector.

Under section 18 of the Madras Local Boards Act V of 1884, M.R Ry. Velayudham Pillai Ramalingam Pillai Avargal of Manakudaiarappa village and M.R.Ry. Sesha Ayyar Anantarama Ayyar Avargal of Kolkappa village have been duly elected as members of the Chidambaram Taluk Board in the district of South Arcot.

South Arcot Collector's Office,
1st December 1916.

M. AZIZ-UD-DIN,
Collector.

Under section 16 of the Madras Local Boards Act, 1884, M.R.Ry. Kadayam Viraraghava Ayyar Srinivasa Ayyar Avargal has been duly elected as a member of the Tuticorin Taluk Board in the district of Tinnevelly.

Tinnevelly Collector's Office,
25th November 1916.

H. T. REILLY,
Acting Collector.

Under section 10 of the Madras District Municipalities Act, IV of 1884, M.R.Ry. Tatha Pillai Ayyaswami Pillai Avargal has been duly elected as a councillor of the Srirangam municipality in the Trichinopoly district.

Under section 16 of the Madras Local Boards Act V of 1884, M.R.Ry. Nilakanta Ayyar Krishnaswami Ayyar Avargal of Lalgudi, Trichinopoly taluk, and M.R.Ry. Bapu Reddiyar Krishnaswami Reddiyar Avargal of Peruvalanallur, Trichinopoly taluk, have been duly elected as members of the Trichinopoly Taluk Board in the district of Trichinopoly.

Trichinopoly Collector's Office,
25th November 1916.

E. S. LLOYD,
Collector.

Under the powers delegated to him by G.O. No 873 L., dated 30th March 1909, the President, District Board, Chingleput, is pleased to reappoint M.R.Ry. S. Sesharai Sastriyar Avargal, B.A., L.T., Sub-Assistant Inspector of Schools, Conjeeveram range, as a member of the Chingleput Taluk Board.

Chingleput District Board's Office,
27th November 1916.

Under section 11 of the Madras Local Boards Act V of 1884, M.R.Ry. V. S. Somasundaram Pillai Avargal, M.A., Tahsildar of Chingleput taluk, has been duly elected as a member of the Chingleput District Board by the Chingleput Taluk Board.

Chingleput District Board's Office,
28th November 1916.

Under section 11 of the Madras Local Boards Act V of 1884, M.R.Rv. V. Narayanaswami Jatavallabar Avargal, B.A., Tahsildar of Saidapet, has been duly elected as member of the District Board of Chingleput by the Saidapet Taluk Board

Under section 11 of the Madras Local Boards Act V of 1884, M.R.Ry. G. Sriramulu Nayudu Garu has been duly elected as member of the District Board of Chingleput by the Tiruvallur Taluk Board.

Chingleput District Board's Office,
30th November 1916.

J. F. BRYANT,
President.

Under section 11 of the Madras Local Boards Act, 1884, Khan Sahib Sayyid Diwan Abdur Rasul Sahib Bahadur has been appointed, by election, as a member of the Coimbatore District Board by the Pollachi Taluk Board.

Coimbatore District Board's Office,
25th November 1916.

E. P. WALSH,
President.

The President, District Board, South Arcot, in exercise of the power delegated to him by the Governor in Council under section 160 of the Madras Local Boards Act, 1884, hereby appoints M.R.Ry. Ramalinga Ayyar Sundaram Ayyar to be a member of the Tirukkoyilur Taluk Board.

Under section 11 of the Madras Local Boards Act, 1884, M.R.Ry. K. C. Namberumal Nayudu Garu has been appointed by election as a member of the South Arcot District Board by the Tindivanam Taluk Board.

Cuddalore District Board's Office,
28th November 1916.

The President, District Board, South Arcot, in exercise of the power delegated to him by the Governor in Council under section 160 of the Madras Local Boards Act, 1884, hereby appoints M.R.Ry. A. M. Ramanada Mudaliyar Avargal to be a member of the Chidambaram Taluk Board.

Cuddalore District Board's Office,
29th November 1916.

M. AZIZ-UD-DIN,
President.

Under section 11 of the Madras Local Boards Act, 1884, M.R.Ry. K. Manikya Rao Pantulu Garu, B.A., has been appointed, by election, as member of the Guntur District Board by the Ongole Taluk Board

Under section 20 of the Madras Local Boards Act, 1884, M.R.Ry. V. Sreeramulu Nayudu Garu has been appointed, by election, to be Vice-President of the Ongole Taluk Board in the district of Guntur.

Guntur District Board's Office,
29th November 1916.

E. A. DAVIS,
President.

Under rule 20 of the election rules, the President, District Board, Madura, hereby appoints M.R.Ry. Madura Narayanaswami Nayudu Venku Nayudu Garu to be a member of the Madura Taluk Board.

Madura District Board's Office,
28th November 1916.

G. F. PADDISON,
President.

Under section 11 of the Madras Local Boards Act, 1884, M.R.Ry. Kasba Venkatagiri Ayyar has been appointed, by election, as a member of the Salem District Board by the Hosur Taluk Board.

Under section 20 of the Madras Local Boards Act, 1884, M.R.Ry. Bommegauda Subbayyar Subbarama Ayyar Avargal has been appointed, by election, as Vice-President of the Hosur Taluk Board.

Salem District Board's Office,
28th November 1916.

E. W. LEGH,
President.

Under section 20 of the Madras Local Boards Act, 1884, Mangalore Muhammad Khan Sahib Bahadur has been appointed by election as Vice-President of the Mangalore Taluk Board in the district of South Canara.

South Canara District Board's Office,
30th November 1916.

L. VIBERT,
President.

In exercise of the powers conferred on him by G.O. No. 373 L., dated the 30th March 1908, the President of the Tanjore District Board appoints M.R.Ry. Sami Odayar Bhoopathi Odayar Avargal of Mankottikkai to be a member of the Kumbakonam Taluk Board.

Tanjore District Board's Office,
25th November 1916.

J. R. HUGGINS,
President.

In exercise of the power delegated to him by the Governor in Council under section 160 of the Madras Local Boards Act V of 1884, the President, District Board, Vizagapatam, hereby appoints Muhammad Yusuf Sahib, retired Sub-Registrar, vice Muhammad Hussain Ali Sahib Bahadur resigned, to be a member of the Vizagapatam Taluk Board.

Vizagapatam District Board's Office,
27th November 1916.

H. A. B. VERNON,
President.

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Fort St. George, December 3, 1916.

No. 153.—Dr. F. Marsden, the Dyeing Expert, privilege leave for fourteen days from 9th December 1916 under article 289 of the Civil Service Regulations.

APPOINTMENTS.

Fort St. George, November 28, 1916

No. 154.—M.R.Ry. Sourapalli Radhakrishnan Avargal, Assistant Professor, Presidency College, to be Professor of Philosophy in the Presidency College, *sub. pro tem.*, in the ninth grade of the Provincial Educational Service with effect from the 27th October 1916

Fort St. George, December 4, 1916.

No. 155.—M.R.Ry. Rao Bahadur Valiyakalathur Rameswami Ayyar Venkatarama Ayyar Avargal, Inspector of Schools, Second Circle, in the Provincial Educational Service, to act in the Indian Educational Service, during the absence on leave or until further orders, with effect from the 21st November 1916.

No. 156.—M.R.Ry. Konkoth Sankara Menon Avargal, temporary Junior Lecturer, Ceded Districts College, Anantapur, to act as Assistant Inspector of Schools, South Canara district, in the ninth grade of the Provincial Educational Service, *vice* M.R.Ry. R. M. Sayar Avargal on other duty or until further orders.

CONFIRMATIONS.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

Fort St. George, November 28, 1916.

No. 157.—With effect from the 27th October 1916, consequent on the death of M.R.Ry. A. Subrahmanya Ayyar Avargal, Professor of Philosophy, Presidency College—

Mr. Henry William Callaghan is confirmed in the fourth grade.

M.R.Ry. Tanjore Viswanatha Sivakumara Sastri Avargal is confirmed in the *fifth* grade.

M.R.Ry. Peruvemba Venkateswara Sesha Ayyar Avargal is confirmed in the sixth grade.

Mr. Albert Victor John Vas is confirmed in the seventh grade.

M.R.Ry. Perunkolam Gopala Pattar Vanchi Ayyar Avargal is confirmed in the eighth grade.

PROMOTIONS.

PROVINCIAL EDUCATIONAL SERVICE.

Fort St. George, November 28, 1916.

No. 158.—With effect from the 27th October 1916 consequent on the promotion to the third grade, sub. *pro tem.*, of M.R.Ry. P. Rajagopala Ayyar Avargal in the vacancy caused by the deputation to foreign service of Dr. P. S. Chandrasekhar—

M.R.Ry. Rao Bahadur Viswanatha Krishnaswami Jatavallabhar Avargal from the *fifth* to the *fourth* grade, sub. *pro tem.*

M.R.Ry. Thorvey Krishna Rao Hanumanta Rao Avargal from the *sixth* to the *fifth* grade, sub. *pro tem.*

M.R.Ry. Lalgudi Annadurai Ayyar Ganapati Ayyar Avargal from the *seventh* to the *sixth* grade, sub. *pro tem.*

M.R.Ry. Kolar Raghava Ayyangar Ramaswami Ayyangar Avargal from the *eighth* to the *seventh* grade, sub. *pro tem.*

NOTIFICATIONS.

Fort St. George, November 17, 1916.

No 159.—The following draft of a notification which it is proposed to issue in exercise of the powers conferred on the Governor in Council by section 3, sub-section (1) of the Ancient Monuments Preservation Act, 1904 (Act VII of 1904), is published for the information of persons likely to be affected thereby, and notice is hereby given that the draft will be taken into consideration after the expiry of one month from the date on which a copy of this notification is fixed up in a conspicuous place on or near the temple mentioned in the annexed schedule.

2. Any objections to the issue of the notification which may be received by the Government of Madras within one month mentioned above will be considered.

Draft Notification.

Under section 3, sub-section (1) of the Ancient Monuments Preservation Act, 1904 (Act VII of 1904), the Governor in Council declares the Mallikarjuna (Siva) temple at Kambadur described in the annexed schedule to be a protected monument within the meaning of the said Act.

SCHEDULE.

Name of the ancient monument.	Name of the district, taluk and village.	Description, whether wet or dry, with survey or poramboke number	Name of the owner.	Boundaries.	Extent.
Mallikarjuna (Siva) temple.	Kambadur village of Kalyandrug taluk, Anantapur district.	Poramboke survey No. 466.	Being ownerless, it is treated as the property of Government	North, No. 470; east, No. 467; west, No. 465; south, No. 467.	ACS. 1·09

Fort St. George, December 1, 1916.

No. 160.—Under sub-section (1) of section 48 of the Land Acquisition Act, 1894, the Governor in Council hereby withdraws from the acquisition of 3,936 square feet of land in S. No. 854 (village site poramboke) in Ambur village in Vellore taluk of the North Arcot district which was notified as being required for the extension of the Bangi elementary school, Ambur, at page 950 of Part I-B of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated the 6th September 1916.

P. RAJAGOPALA ACHARIYAR,
Secretary to Government.

MISCELLANEOUS NOTIFICATIONS.

TEXTBOOKS AND COURSE OF STUDY FOR EUROPEAN SCHOOL AND SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATIONS, 1917.

HIGH SCHOOL AND SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATION.

English.

1. Shakespeare: *Henry V.*
2. Either Ruskin: *Sesame and Lilies*, edited by A. E. Roberts (Macmillan's English Literature for Secondary schools)
   Or Mrs. Gaskell: *Cranford*, edited by M. W. Sampson (Macmillan's Pocket Series of English Classics).
3. Either Dickens: *The Old Curiosity Shop*
   Or Scott: *Old Mortality.*

(NOTE.—Questions of a general, not a detailed, nature will be set on the prose works.)

Latin.

Virgil: *Æneid*, X.

French.

Daudet: *Tartarin de Tarascon.* Adapted and edited by Otto Siepmann. (Macmillan's Advanced French Series.)

Tamil.

The Forty Thieves. (C. Coomaraswami Naidu & Sons.)

Telugu.

The King's Tale. (Longmans' Indian Stories for School Reading.)

Malayalam.

Seventh Standard Reader by Marsden (omitting the poetry). (Macmillan & Co.)

Urdu.

Seventh Urdu Reader, pp. 1 *to* 111, Lahore Series. (Gulab Singh and Sons, Lahore.).

Special periods in English and Indian History:

1. Either *History of the British Empire*, A.D. 1784 to A.D. 1878
   Or *Outlines of Modern European History*, A.D. 1815–1878, with questions on the most important events in the periods 1763–1814 and 1878–1910. Teachers are recommended to consult the Board of Education's Circular No. 869 as to the treatment of the subject. Copies of the circular may be obtained from Messrs. Wyman & Son, Fetter Lane, London, E.C.
2. *Indian History*: Modern India.

MIDDLE SCHOOL AND SCHOLARSHIP EXAMINATION.

English.

1. *The Ancient Mariner*, edited by Egerton Smith. (Longmans' British Classics for India) and poems Nos. V, VII, VIII, XIII, XIX, XX and XXVII from *An Introduction to Good Poetry* by E. F. Davidson (Blackie & Son).
2. Any *two* of the following prose works, on which questions of a general, not a detailed, nature will be set:—
   A Dickens Reader by Mrs. J. C. Smith. (Oxford University Press.)
   Tales of the Punjab by Flora Annie Steele. (Macmillan & Co.)
   The Last Days of Pompeii. (Stories Retold Series. Oxford University Press.)
   The Prisoner of Zenda. (Stories Retold Series, Oxford University Press.)

Latin.

Tales of Great Generals, being selections from Cornelius Nepos Edited by W. D. Low. (Oxford University Press.)

French.

Charles Guyon: *Exois Heroïques.* Edited by Marc Coppi. (Bell & Sons.)

Tamil.

Tales from Grimm. (Macmillan & Co.)

Telugu.

Æsop's Fables, Book III, by Rao Sahib G. V. Ramamurti Pantulu Garu. (Macmillan & Co.)

Malayalam.

Fourth Standard Reader by Marsden (omitting the poetry). (Macmillan & Co.)

Urdu.

Fourth Urdu Reader, Pages 1 to 56, 134 to 178, and 189 to 192, Lahore Series (Gulab Singh & Sons, Lahore).

NOTES.—(1) Candidates in Latin may, if they desire, be examined in unprepared passages for translation into English as an alternative to the passages set for translation from the set books

(2) No text book will be set in the vernaculars for the Primary Scholarship Examination. The syllabus found in the pamphlets, issued by the Department, on the teaching of the vernaculars in European schools, will be followed.

(3) With regard to the English Texts, the editions mentioned are easily obtainable and are recommended, but any equally good editions may be used if desired.

J. H. STONE,
Director of Public Instruction.

Madras, 14th November 1916.

SUPERVISORS' TEST, 1917.

The Director of Public Instruction hereby notifies that the Supervisors' Test prescribed in Government notification of the 6th October 1905 will be held on the 26th April 1917 and the following day at the centres noted below:—

Bellary.	Cuddapah.	Nellore.
Berhampur.	Guntur.	Rajahmundry.
Bhadrachalam.	Madras.	Salem.
Calicut.	Madura.	Tanjore.
Chittoor.	Mangalore.	Tinnevelly.
Coimbatore.	Mercara.	Vizagapatam.

2. The examination is open to teachers of at least two years' standing holding trained teachers' certificates of the secondary and higher grades, to all supervisors holding permanent appointments and to others who may be specially exempted by the Director.

3. The following is the order of time and subjects according to which the examination will be conducted:—

Day.	Hour.	Subject.
Thursday, 26th April 1917	10 a.m. to 12 noon	Madras Inspection Code.
	3 to 4 p.m.	Madras Educational Rules.
Friday, 27th April 1917	10 a.m. to 12 noon	The Grant-in-Aid Code.

Candidates must appear for all the subjects at the same time.

4. The fee for admission to the examination is Rs 3.

5. All applications which must be on printed forms should be sent direct to the Inspector of Schools, Fourth Circle, post paid, superscribed and addressed as follows:—

[*Application for admission to the Supervisors' Test.*]

To

The Inspector of Schools, Fourth Circle, Cathedral Post, Madras, S.W.

and should be despatched so as to reach him *not later than the 1st February* 1917. A candidate wishing to know whether his application has been received should enclose a post-card addressed to himself with his application Covers insufficiently stamped will not be received.

Printed forms of application may be had at the offices of the Inspectors.

6 The fees should be paid into a Government Treasury and Treasury Officer's receipt must accompany the application. No fees will be received in this office.

7. Fees should not be paid by candidates who may apply to the Director of Public Instruction for special exemption before such exemption is granted.

8. The fee paid will in no case whatever be refunded.

9. The results of examination will be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, but no separate certificates of success will be issued.

Madras, 24th November 1916.

J. H. STONE,
Director of Public Instruction.

SUB-ASSISTANT INSPECTORS' TEST, 1917.

The Director of Public Instruction hereby notifies that the Sub-Assistants' Test prescribed in Government Notification of the 30th May 1898 and in the notification of the Director of Public Instruction, dated 25th June 1913, will be held on the 26th April 1917 and the following day at the centres noted below:—

Bellary.	Cuddapah.	Nellore.
Berhampur.	Guntur.	Rajahmundry.
Bhadrachalam.	Madras.	Salem.
Calicut.	Madura.	Tanjore.
Chittoor.	Mangalore.	Tinnevelly.
Coimbatore.	Mercara.	Vizagapatam.

2. The examination which will consist of two parts is open to—

(i) Probationary Sub-Assistant Inspectors and Sub-Assistant Inspectresses,

(ii) Teachers, Supervisors of Schools in the service of Government and teachers in recognized institutions: provided (1) that, if men, they have passed the First Examination in Arts or the Intermediate Examination of the University of Madras, and, if women, the Matriculation or the Upper Secondary Examination; or hold a Secondary School-Leaving Certificate of the standard laid down in G.O. No. 60 dated 2nd February 1910; (2) that they have passed the Elementary Technical Examination in Freehand Outline Drawing; and (3) that they are recommended by an Inspector or Inspectress of schools or the head of a recognized college;

(iii) All others not included in clauses (i) and (ii) of this rule, but possessing qualifications not inferior to those prescribed in clause (ii), provided that they are specially permitted to appear by the Director of Public Instruction.

The examination in the first part is also open to candidates for clerkships on Rs. 50 and upwards in the Educational Department.

3. The following is the order of time and subjects according to which the examination will be conducted :—

Day.	Hour.	Subject.	
Thursday, 26th April 1917 ..	10 a.m. to 1 p.m. ..	Madras Inspection Code	First Part.
	2 to 5 p.m.	Madras Educational Rules, etc. ..	
Friday, 27th April 1917 ..	10 to 11 a.m.	Educational Statistics	
	11—5 a.m. to 1 & p.m. ..	The Grant-in-Aid Code	
	2 p.m. to 5 p.m. ..	Linguistic Test	Second Part.

Candidates must appear for all the subjects of the first part at the same time. They may appear for the second part either along with the first part or separately at their option.

4. The fee for admission to the examination is Rs. 12 for the first part and Rs. 3 for the second part.

5. All applications which must be on printed forms should be sent direct to the Inspector of Schools, Fourth Circle, post paid, superscribed and addressed as follows.—

[*Application for admission to the Sub-Assistant Inspector's Test.*]

To

The Inspector of Schools, Fourth Circle, Cathedral Post, Madras, S.W.

and should be despatched so as to reach him *not later than the* 1st *February* 1917. A candidate wishing to know whether his application has been received should enclose a post-card addressed to himself with his application. *Covers insufficiently stamped will not be received.*

Printed forms of application may be had at the offices of the Inspectors

6. The fees should be paid into a Government Treasury and the Treasury Officer's receipt must accompany the application. No fees will be received in this office

7. The fee paid will in no case whatever be refunded.

8. The results of the examination will be published in the *Fort St. George Gazette*, but no separate certificates of success will be issued.

J. H. STONE,
Director of Public Instruction.

Madras, 24th November 1916.

UNIVERSITY OF MADRAS.

NOTIFICATION.

Candidates for the B.A Degree Examination under the Old By-laws, who have passed only in one or two divisions of the examination will be permitted to qualify for the B.A. Degree by appearing for and passing the B.A. Degree Examination under the New Regulations in the Part or Parts concerned, in accordance with the following Transitory Regulations passed by the Senate at its meeting held on October 28, 1916, and sanctioned by Government in G.O. No. 1210, Home (Education) Department, dated 17th November 1916 :—

(i) Candidates for the Degree of Bachelor of Arts who have passed at least one of the divisions of the B.A. Degree Examination under the Old By-laws may, on the recommendation of the Syndicate and by special order of the Senate, be permitted to appear for the B.A. Degree Examination under the New Regulations in the Parts or Groups corresponding to the divisions of the B.A. Degree Examination under the Old By-laws which they have not passed. Orders of exemption granted under this Regulation shall be permanent.

(ii) For the purposes of the foregoing regulation the following three papers in each of the sub-divisions of Group (vi) (Languages other than English) shall be taken as the equivalent of Division II under the Old By-laws.—*Sanskrit*—Books of the Later Period (first paper), Books of the Later Period (second paper), History of Sanskrit Literature; *Urdu*—Prose Books, Poetry, Composition; *Arabic* or *Persian* — Prose Books, Poetry, Translation; a *Dravidian Language* or *Uriya* or *Marathi*—Set Books and History of Literature, Set Books and History of Literature, Composition; *Greek* or *Latin*—Set Books and History of Literature, Set Books and History of Literature, Prose Composition; *French or German*—Set Books and History of Literature, Set Books and History of Literature, Composition; *Hebrew*—Set Books, Set Books, Translation. Candidates failing to obtain one-third of the marks in these papers taken together shall not pass.

(iii) Applications for admission to the examination, together with the necessary exemption orders or applications for exemption, must be submitted by the date specified for the submission of applications by candidates for the B.A. Degree Examination under the New Regulations.

(iv) The application fee for admission to any Part or Parts of the examination shall be Rs. 36 except in the case of candidates applying for admission to the examination in Group (vi) only when the fee shall be Rs. 19.

The attention of such candidates is invited to the following directions issued by the Syndicate :—

(1) The above Transitory Regulations are applicable *only to those who have passed at least one of the divisions of the B.A. Degree Examination under the Old By-laws.*

(2) The following divisions of the B.A. Degree Examination under the Old By-laws correspond to the Parts or Groups of the B.A. Degree Examination under the New Regulations :—

Old By-laws.			New Regulations.
(a) English Language division equivalent to		..	Part I—English Language and Literature.
(b) Second Language	do.	do.	.. Part II—Group (vi)—Languages other than English (as defined in the Transitory Regulations).
(c) Science	do.	do.	.. Part II—one of the groups of the B.A. Degree Examination other than Group (vi)

(3) Candidates will not be required to produce any certificates of attendance at affiliated colleges.

(4) Candidates are, however, required to apply to the Syndicate for exemption from the production of the required certificates of attendance. Applications for exemption should be made in writing and must reach the Registrar not later than the 25th January preceding the examination at which the candidates desire to appear. Each application should contain information as to the Part or Group in virtue of which exemption is required. If it is desired to take an optional language under Group (iv) or Group (v), the language should be stated.

(5) Applications for admission to the examination in the form prescribed must reach the Registrar *not later than the 20th January preceding*. Each candidate must forward with his application his F.A., certificate, and a treasury receipt for the fee prescribed for the respective examination which is as follows:—

	Rs.
Part I—English Language and Literature or Part II—one of the Optional Groups or both the Parts	36
Part II—Group (vi)	18

(6) No candidate can be examined in two Groups in any one year. No application will therefore be accepted for both the examination in Group (vi), *and* for that in one of the remaining Groups in Part II. Applicants who have passed only the English Language division of the examination under the Old By-laws must therefore take the examinations in Group (vi), and in one of the remaining groups in different years.

(7) Irrespective of the particular Science division in which a candidate may have failed at the examination under the Old By-laws, he will be allowed to appear *in any one of the Groups* other than Group (vi) at the B.A. Degree Examination under the New Regulations.

(8) The Syndicate will not be prepared to recommend the grant of exemption to any candidate who proposes to take a language under Group (iv) or Group (v) which is not brought up by candidates appearing from one of the affiliated colleges.

(9) Candidates appearing in Group (ii) or Group (iii) will be required to present themselves at all the practical examinations conducted in accordance with the Regulations.

(10) The syllabuses of studies and text books for the different examinations will be found printed in Vol. I of the Calendar for 1916, a copy of which may be obtained at the S. P. C. K. Press, Vepery, Madras, for one rupee, exclusive of postage.

(11) No person who has qualified for the F.A. Degree by passing the examinations under the Old By-laws will be admitted to the B.A. Degree Examination under the New Regulations in an additional Science Group, as there is no provision in the Regulations therefor.

(12) The B.A. Degree Examination as at present arranged will be held at the following places:—

Madras—All groups.
Bangalore—Groups (i), (iv), (v) and (vi) only.
Trichinopoly Do
Trivandrum Do.

Candidates for the above examination selecting Groups (ii) and (iii) will be allowed to take the examination in Part I and the *written* examination in Part II at all the centres. All such candidates will, however, be required to take the *practical* examinations in Madras. These will be arranged for suitable dates following the written examinations.

(By order)

Senate House, 28th November 1916. F. DEWSBURY, B.A., LL.B., *Registrar.*

SUPPLEMENTAL LIST OF HOLDERS OF SECONDARY SCHOOL-LEAVING CERTIFICATES DECLARED ELIGIBLE FOR ADMISSION TO UNIVERSITY COURSES OF STUDY IN 1916-17.

Certificates issued under the authority of the Government of Madras in 1916.

Number of certificate.	Name of holder	Name of school.	Name of father or guardian.	Age	Religion.	Vernacular.
38152 ..	Anudata Sreeramulu	Venkatagiri Raja's High School, Nellore.	Anudata Venkatakrishnayya.	Yrs. M. 19	Brahman ..	Telugu.
7194 ..	P. K. Sunnuna (F)	Sacred Heart Secondary School, Tellicherry	P. K. Chathan ..	24	Hindu ..	Malayalam.

(By order)

Senate House, 4th December 1916. F. DEWSBURY, B.A., LL.B., *Registrar.*

GOVERNMENT BRAHMAN WIDOWS' HOSTEL, TRIPLICANE.

As there are a few additional scholarships of Rs. 15 each per mensem available in the Government Brahman Widows' Hostel, Triplicane, applications are invited from Brahman widows under thirteen years of age who will be admitted into the Government Secondary School, Triplicane, on the 3rd January 1917, the date of re-opening of the school after the ensuing Christmas holidays.

Old College, Nungambakkam, Madras, 17th November 1916. C. M. LYNCH, *Inspectress of Girls' Schools, Central Circle.*

SCHEME OF WRITTEN EXAMINATION IN SCHOOL MANAGEMENT AND THE ART OF TEACHING UNDER ARTICLE 85 OF THE CODE OF REGULATIONS FOR EUROPEAN SCHOOLS, DECEMBER 1916.

Wednesday, 20th December 1916 — 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.—Art of Teaching. 2-30 p.m. to 5 p.m.—School Management.

2. The following are centres of examination :—

Centre.	Place of examination.	Superintendent.
(1) Madras ..	Presentation Convent Training School, Georgetown, Madras.	Assistant Inspector of European and Training Schools, Madras.
(2) Ootacamund ..	Brooks Memorial School, Ootacamund.	Sub-Assistant Inspector of Schools, The Nilgiris.
(3) Bangalore ..	Sacred Heart College, Bangalore.	Sub-Assistant Inspector of Schools, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore.
(4) Calicut ..	Government Training School, Calicut.	Headmaster, Government Training School, Calicut.

3. The candidate from Loredale should appear at Ootacamund.

4. All the rules and regulations that govern public examinations will be applicable to this examination.

Madras, 28th November 1916.

J. H. MELVILLE,
Inspector of European and Training Schools.

GOVERNMENT TRAINING SCHOOL, VIZAGAPATAM

List of defaulters undergoing training in the Government Training School, Vizagapatam, who absented themselves without leave from the date noted against each and whose whereabouts are not known :—

(1) P. T. Suryanarayana, Higher Elementary Senior, from 2nd May 1916.
(2) S. Krishnamurti, Lower Senior, from 12th July 1916.

Vizagapatam, 28th November 1916.

C. RANSFORD,
Inspector of Schools, First Circle.

THE MADRAS STUDENTS' ADVISORY COMMITTEE.

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(1) To furnish information and advice to Indians who contemplate going to England.

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Students of the Madras Presidency and of Native States whose colleges are affiliated to the Madras University, who contemplate going to England, and the relatives and friends of those who are going or are already gone, are invited to correspond with Mr. Arthur Davies, Secretary to the Madras Committee at the Law College, Madras, from whom all necessary information can be obtained.

Letters from Madras students to the Educational Adviser in London or to other Educational authorities in Great Britain are forwarded to the Madras Secretary for disposal and much delay will therefore be saved by *direct* correspondence with the latter.

There is a library attached to the Secretary's office at the Law College consisting of the prospectuses, syllabuses and calendars of the various educational institutions and universities in Great Britain and students and other enquirers will be allowed the use of the library on all week days except Saturdays and holidays between 12 noon and 5 p.m.

Law College, Madras,
13th March 1916.

A. DAVIES,
Secretary, Madras Students' Advisory Committee.

VACANCIES.

APPLICATIONS are invited from trained Anglo-Indian Mistresses for the post of Assistant, Secondary School attached to the Government Secondary and Training School, Tripassur, on Rs. 75—5—100, with effect from the 1st December 1916.

Old College, Nungambakkam, Madras,
17th November 1916.

C. M. LYNCH,
Inspectress of Girls' Schools, Central Circle.

TELUGU SHORTHAND MANUAL.

Copies of this publication by M. Srinivasa Rao, which has been recommended for the use of candidates taking vernacular shorthand as an optional subject, are available for sale at the Government Press, Mount Road Branch, Madras, at Re 3-8-0 a copy.

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[Applications for certificates should be made in accordance with the notice that will be published in the Fort St. George and District Gazettes in February next.]

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Office of the Commr. for Govt. Examinations, Madras, 4th December 1916.

G. MADDOX, *Secretary.*

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Kotai John Cornelius	Do.
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K. Muttuswami	Do.
O. Pichchu Ayyar	Do.
Sriperumbudur Ranganatha Mudali.	Do.
K. V. Sesha Ayyangar ..	Do.
Vellore Balakrishna Mudali ..	Draftsman's Group certificate in Mechanical Drawing.
Kotai John Cornelius ..	Do.
Vellore Dakshinamurti Mudali ..	Do.
R. Hariharа Ayyar	Do.
P. S. Kalahasti	Do.
P. Lakshmanan	Do.
K. Muttuswami	Do.
S. Ramalingam	Do.
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S. Krishna Warrier	Do.
S. Krishnamachari Ayyar ..	Do.
Jasuvli Kanakaraju	Do.
K. S. Kesavan	Do.
S. Kanchalgadam	Do.
H. Narasinga Rao	Do.
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R. Padmanabha Ayyar ..	Do.
V. Padmanabhan Menon ..	Do.
T. M. Pakkiriswami	Do.
Y. Raghunatha Rao	Do.
T. Raja Rao	Do.
S. Rama Ayyar	Do.

Name of candidate.	Subject.
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Sriperumbudur Ranganatha Mudali.	Do.
K. Sankara Ayyar	Do.
Ravipudi Suryanarayanamurti ..	Do.
K. V. Sesha Ayyangar ..	Do.
S. Srirama Ayyar	Do.
K. Srinivasan	Do.
P. R. Srinivasan	Do.
V. Swaminatha Ayyar	Do.
V. M. Subrahmanya Ayyar ..	Do.
N. Subrahmanya Rao	Do.
T. R. Subbaraya Pillai	Do.
P. Sundaram Ayyar	Do.
Venkatakrishna Subba Rao ..	Do.
R. Swami	Do.
M. Swaminathan	Do.
Tallapragada Satyanarayana ..	Do.
Kota Raja Jagannatha Rao ..	Do.
Kasam Venkatareddi Naidu ..	Do.
Yerramreddi Nagaga Rao ..	Do.
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Manyam Kannayya	Do.
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K. S. Ramaswami Ayyar ..	Do.
Cappacamula Satyanarayanamurti	Do.
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R. Subrahmani	Do.
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R. Vaidyanathan	Do.

Name of candidate.	Subject.
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Mukkamala Venkatasubba Rao ..	Do.
T. V. Rajagopal	Do.
E. Michael	Do.
S. Krishnaswami	Do.
T. S. Rajagopalan	Do.
P. K. Srinivasan	Do.
S. Venkateswarua	Do.
R. V. Subrahmanya Ayyar ..	Do.
D. K. Ramaswami	Do.
V. G. Siromani	Do.
K. N. Ganapati Ayyar ..	Do.
Valluri Ramachandramurti ..	Do.
Nurani S. Ramakrishna Ayyar ..	Do.
Huttangadi Sanjiva Rao ..	Do.
V. Venkataramana	Do.
Tumalur Venkatasubbayya ..	Do.
Ponami G. Viswanatha Ayyar ..	Do.
Ponami G. Viswanatha Ayyar ..	Correspondence.
K. S. Sivaramakrishna Ayyar ..	Do.
Vemuri Venkatachalapati ..	Do.
V. R. Subrahmanya Ayyar ..	Book-keeping
Vemuri Venkatachalapati ..	Do.
P. Devadasan	Do.
G. S. Narayanan	Do.
K. S. Sivaramakrishna Ayyar ..	Do.
O. N. Ramakrishna Ayyar ..	Do.
M. S. Ramaswami	Do.

The following candidates are declared to have qualified for the Diploma in Commerce:—

B. Haribara Ayyar.
M. R. Krishnaswami Ayyar.
T. Rama Pisharadi.
K. S. Sivaramakrishna Ayyar.
C. N. Ramakrishna Ayyar.
M. S. Ramaswami.
T. N. Soterama Ayyar.
Nellcheeri S. Sivaramakrishna Ayyar.

The following candidates are declared to have qualified for the Diploma for Chemists and Druggists:—

Innocent Henry Norman Figredo.
James Francis Le Teille.

(By order)

Office of the Comr. for Govt. Examinations, Madras, 1st December 1916.

G. MADDOX,
Secretary.

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APPOINTMENTS, LEAVE OF ABSENCE, &c.

Registration.

Appointment.—M.R.Ry. Parandur Rajagopala Achari, Head Clerk, Registrar's Office, Godavari-Vizagapatam, is appointed to be Sub-Registrar, eighth grade, sub. *pro tem.*, with effect from the 21st November 1916.

Posting.—M.R.Ry. Parandur Rajagopala Achari, Sub-Registrar, eighth grade, sub. *pro tem.*, to Visavolu (Godavari-Vizagapatam district), but to continue to act as Sub-Registrar of Palkonda.

Madras, 27th November 1916.

Postings.—The following postings of Sub-Registrars are ordered :—

M.R.Ry. Srirangam Viraraghava Srinivasa Achari, on return from leave, from Singampunari (Madura district) to Peralam (Tanjore district).

M.R.Ry. Venkatasubba Sastri Gopala Sastri from Peralam to Vadavar (Tanjore district).

M.R.Ry. Subrahmanya Jnanadesikam Pillai from Vadavar to Tiruvadamarudur (Tanjore district).

M.R.Ry. Mangur Duraiswami Subrahmanya Ayyar, on leave, from Tiruvadamarudur (Tanjore district) to Siddhavattam (Cuddapah-Kurnool district).

M.R.Ry. Sanjiva Rao Hari Rao, on return from leave, from Siddhavattam (Cuddapah-Kurnool district) to Singampunari (Madura district).

C. M. SCHMIDT,
Inspector General of Registration.

Madras, 28th November 1916.

BOARD OF REVENUE.

LAND REVENUE.

Promotions.—Consequent on the resignation of fourth-grade Ranger M.R.Ry. B. Sannieh, the following promotions are made in the class of Rangers with effect from 26th October 1916 :—

Mr. Anthony Celso, from fourth grade, sub *pro tem.*, to fourth grade, permanent.
M.R.Ry. A. Rama Hebbar, from fifth grade, permanent, to fourth grade, sub, *pro tem.*
M.R.Ry. K. Alagiriswami Nayudu, from fifth grade, sub. *pro tem.*, to fifth grade, permanent.
M.R.Ry. T. V. Subba Rao Nayudu, from sixth grade, permanent, to fifth grade, sub *pro tem.*

Board of Revenue (Land Revenue),
Madras, 24th November 1916.

H. R. PATE,
Secretary.

SALT, ABKARI AND CUSTOMS DEPARTMENT.

Posting.—M.R.Ry. M. R. Natesa Ayyar, Assistant Inspector, on return from leave, is posted to the Vattanam circle, *vice* M.R Ry. M. K. Srinivasa Ayyangar, acting Assistant Inspector, reverted.

Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue),
Madras, 29th November 1916

Extension of Leave.—Under article 200 of the Civil Service Regulations, M.R Ry. M. R. Natesa Ayyar is granted an extension of privilege leave for one month from 10th December 1916.
The Assistant Inspector should join the Vattanam circle on the expiry of his leave.

Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue),
Madras, 4th December 1916.

E. F. THOMAS,
Secretary.

PUBLIC WORKS.

Services placed.—The services of the undermentioned non-commissioned officers have been placed temporarily at the disposal of His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief :—

Staff Sergeant John Edward Foulkes, Supervisor, second grade.
Sergeant Percy Watson, Overseer, first grade

Confirmation.—M.R.Ry. M. S. Soundararaja Ayyangar, Overseer, second grade, on probation in the office of the Superintending Engineer, VI Circle, is confirmed in his appointment with retrospective effect from the 27th July 1915.

Madras, 24th November 1916.

S. B. MURRAY,
Chief Engineer, P.W.D.

Leave.—M.R.Ry. P. Srinivasa Ayyar, Overseer, first grade, temporary, Godavari Northern division, is granted privilege leave for fifteen days with effect from the 4th November 1916.

Transfer and Postings.—The following transfers and postings of Sub-Divisional Officers are ordered by the Superintending Engineer, I Circle :—

1. Mr. R. R. Dogra, Assistant Engineer, in charge of the Head Works and Supply sub-division of the Godavari Head Works division, to the Ganjam division for charge of the Berhampur sub-division.

2. M.R.Ry S. Rajagopalaswami Mudaliyar Avargal, B.O.S., Sub-Engineer, third grade and Honorary Assistant Engineer in charge of the Berhampur sub-division of the Ganjam division, to the office of the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, for charge of the Circle Drawing office and to be the Personal Assistant to the Superintending Engineer.

3 M.R.Ry. T. V Saptharishi Sastri, Supervisor, first grade, temporary rank, posted to this circle in Chief Engineer's Memorandum No 6577-C., dated 6th October 1916, is reposted to the Godavari Head Works division for charge of the Head Works and Supply sub-division of the Godavari Head Works division.

Vizagapatam, 29th November 1916.

Leave.—Under paragraph 181 of Public Works Department Code, Volume I, Mr. C. E. S. Richardson, Assistant Engineer in charge of the Gowtami sub-division of the Godavari Conservancy division, is granted language leave for one month and six days with effect from the 4th December 1916.

Appointment.—M.R.Ry. S. Bhaskara Ayyar Avargal, Executive Engineer in charge of the Godavari Conservancy division, will in addition to his own duties hold charge of the Gowtami sub-division of the same division during the absence of Mr. Richardson on language leave.

Posting and Re-posting.—M.R.Ry. V. P. Sambasiva Ayyar, Overseer, second grade, Ganjam division, on return from leave, is posted to the office of the Superintending Engineer, I Circle, as a temporary measure.

2 M.R Ry. T. L Ramaswami Ayyar, temporary Upper Subordinate on Rs. 80, posted to this circle in Chief Engineer's Memorandum No. 7851 C, dated 20th November 1916, is reposted to the Ganjam division.

Vizagapatam, 1st December 1916.

M. R. KHAREGAT,
Superintending Engineer, I Circle.

Leave.—Under article 280 of the Civil Service Regulations, M.R.Ry. K. Govindan, temporary Upper Subordinate on Rs. 60, Kistna Central division, is granted privilege leave for one month with effect from 2nd January 1917 forenoon with permission to prefix Christmas holidays thereto.

Bezwada, 1st December 1916. J. B. LUTMAN,
Superintending Engineer, II Circle.

Leave.—Under articles 242 (a) and 280 of the Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for one month, with effect from the 9th November 1916, is granted to M.R.Ry. M. V. Prasada Rao, temporary Upper Subordinate on Rs. 60, South Presidency division.

Madras, 29th November 1916.

Transfers.—The following transfers are ordered :—

(1) M.R.Ry. K. R. Krishnaswami Ayyar Avargal, temporary Sub-Engineer, from the office of the Superintending Engineer, V Circle, to the Chinglaput division for charge of Chinglaput sub-division.

(2) Conductor P. H. England, Sub-Engineer, fourth grade, from the Chinglaput division to the V Circle office.

No (1) to move first.

Madras, 2nd December 1916. J. M. LACEY,
Superintending Engineer, V Circle.

Leave.—M.R.Ry. S. Narayanaswami Ayyar, temporary Upper Subordinate, North Arcot division, is granted, under article 280, Civil Service Regulations, privilege leave for fifteen days from 11th November 1916.

Transfer.—M.R.Ry. P. Raghaviah, temporary Upper Subordinate on Rs. 60, is transferred from the North Arcot to the Tank Restoration Scheme division, VII Circle. To proceed immediately.

2. The transfer carries with it sanction to transit pay and travelling allowance.

3. The posting of M.R.Ry. N. S. Ramachandra Ayyar, temporary Upper Subordinate, to the Tank Restoration Scheme division, VII Circle, published in page 2021 of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 7th November 1916, is cancelled.

Madras, 27th November 1916.

Transfer.—M.R.Ry. K. Vedantachari, Overseer, second grade, temporary rank, is transferred from the office of the Superintending Engineer, VII Circle, to the Tank Restoration Scheme division, VII Circle. To join forthwith.

Madras, 2nd December 1916.

Transfer.—M.R.Ry. A. Subrahmanya Ayyar, temporary Upper Subordinate, is transferred from the Cauvery division to the South Arcot division. To proceed immediately.

The transfer carries with it sanction to transit pay and travelling allowance.

Madras, 4th December 1916. A. V. RAMALINGA AYYAR,
Superintending Engineer, VII Circle.

MEDICAL.

Servant placed.—M.R.Ry. S. K. Ganapati Ayyar, L.M. & S., entertained as a temporary Civil Assistant Surgeon in the department, is placed at the disposal of the President, District Board, South Arcot, *vice* temporary Civil Assistant Surgeon K. Narayanaswami Ayyar, L.M. & S., reported sick.

Madras, 27th November 1916.

Posting.—M.R.Ry. R. Narayana Ayyar, L.M. & S., entertained as a temporary Civil Assistant Surgeon in the department, is placed at the disposal of the District Medical and Sanitary Officer, Coimbatore, for plague inoculation duty.

Madras, 29th November 1916.

Servants placed.—Civil Assistant Surgeon C. S. Ganapati Ayyar, L.M. & S., on return from privilege leave, is placed at the disposal of the President, District Board, Kistna, *vice* Civil Apothecary C. Dastagir Khan deceased.

Madras, 30th November 1916.

Posting.—Temporary Civil Assistant Surgeon A. G. Pereira, L.M. & S., on relief at Bezwada, is posted to Police and Sub-Jail Hospital, Russellkonda, *vice* Civil Apothecary C. Sekharan transferred.

Madras, 1st December 1916.

Leave.—Civil Assistant Surgeon P. Krishna Warriar, L.M. & S., is hereby granted privilege leave for two months from the date of relief.

(By order)

C. A. F. HINGSTON, Major, I.M.S.,
Personal Assistant to the Surgeon-General.

Madras, 2nd December 1916.

INDIAN FINANCE DEPARTMENT.

SUBORDINATE ACCOUNTS SERVICE.

October and November 1916.

Promotions and Reversions—

I. With effect from 23rd October 1916, Mr. C. Ranganatha Rao, Accountant, sixth grade, temporary rank, having proceeded on privilege leave for two months—

None to act as Accountant, seventh grade.

II. With effect from 29th October 1916, Mr. P. G. King, Accountant, third grade, having been permitted to return to duty on the afternoon of 28th October 1916, the unexpired portion of his sick leave being cancelled—

Mr. Muhammad Latif Hussain, Accountant, third grade, temporary rank, to revert to Accountant, fourth grade.

Mr. I. Ratnaswami Nayudu, Accountant, fourth grade, temporary rank, to revert to Accountant, fifth grade.

Mr. M. Jagannatham, Accountant, fifth grade, temporary rank, to revert to Accountant, sixth grade.

Mr. C. Ranganatha Rao, Accountant, sixth grade, temporary rank, to revert to Accountant, seventh grade.

Mr. K. Janakiramu, Accountant, seventh grade, temporary rank, to revert to seventh grade, acting, in the privilege leave vacancy of Mr. C. Ranganatha Rao, Accountant, seventh grade.

III. With effect from 2nd November 1916, Mr. R. Sivaramakrishna Ayyar, Accountant, seventh grade, on probation, having proceeded on privilege leave for one month and three days—

None to act as Accountant, seventh grade.

IV. With effect from 21th November 1916 (afternoon), Mr. G. J. C. Hodson, having reverted to Accountant, first grade, his deputation as Officiating Chief Accountant having ceased—

None to revert as his promotion to seventh grade was made during his deputation.

V. With effect from 27th November 1916, Mr. C. T. Thangaraj, Accountant, sixth grade, having proceeded on combined leave for six months (privilege leave for two months and twelve days and furlough for three months and eighteen days)—

None to act as Accountant, seventh grade.

VI. With effect from 28th November 1916, Mr. C. N. Sulaimanaya Ayyar, Accountant, fourth grade, having returned from long leave for one year and three months from 28th August 1916—

Mr. S. Kuppuswami Nayudu, Accountant, fourth grade, temporary rank, to revert to Accountant, fifth grade.

Mr. T. Annaji Rao, Accountant, fifth grade, temporary rank, to revert to Accountant, sixth grade.

Mr. R. Mahalinga Ayyar, Accountant, sixth grade, temporary rank, to revert to Accountant, seventh grade.

Mr. B. R. Subrahmanyam, Accountant, seventh grade, temporary rank, to revert to seventh grade, acting, in the privilege leave vacancy of Mr. C. T. Thangaraj.

Madras, 28th November 1916.

A. NEWMARCH.
Accountant-General.

GENERAL NOTIFICATIONS.

PATENTS.

The following printed specifications of applications for patents, which have been accepted under section 8 of the Indian Patents and Designs Act of 1911, have been published and can be inspected free of charge at the Madras Record Office, Egmore. Copies of these specifications may be purchased at the Patent Office, 1, Council House Street, Calcutta, at the price of eight annas per copy.

Directions for the guidance of inventors and others are given in the Indian Patents and Designs Act, 1911 (price 10 annas), and in the Indian Patents and Designs Rules, 1912 (price 2 annas). These should be consulted before an application is made to the Controller of Patents and Designs.

2503. T. U. Bhatt. An improved water-lift.

2717. W. H. Feeny. Improvements in the manufacture of mats, chair seats, flooring blocks and the like flat articles.

2341. T. C. Coull and W. F. McLean. A paper file and binder.

2465. W. J. Grimshaw and A. P. Symonds. Improvements in or relating to pumps.

2725. Mead, McLean & Company, Limited, and A. A. Mead. Improvements in ventilators for railway carriages and the like.

2726. G. G. Hepburn. Improvements in bi-polar electrode electrolysers.

Madras, 5th December 1916.

L. DAVIDSON,
Acting Chief Secretary.

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NOTIFICATIONS

Peon Ismail Sahib attached to Proddatur sub-division of Cuddapah division has been absent from duty since 12th March 1916 and his whereabouts are not traceable. It is notified therefore that if the peon does not report for duty within one month from the date of this notification, he will be considered to have forfeited his appointment in the Public Works Department.

F. C. L. CLIFF,
Executive Engineer, Cuddapah Division.

Medanapalle, 19th November 1916.

The examination for certificate of competency for water works fitters notified in *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 3rd October 1916, Part II, page 1842, to be held at the Public Works Workshops near Seven Wells, Madras, on the 4th and 5th December 1916, will not be held this year as sufficient number of candidates have not applied for the examination.

W. HUTTON,
Superintending Engineer,
Sanitary Engineer to Government.

Office of Sanitary Engineer to Government, Chepauk, Madras, 23rd November 1916.

NOTICES.

The cheque No 41 E./62935, dated 27th November 1915, for Rs 103-2-9 drawn on the Tirukkoyilur Sub treasury, in favour of R. Krishnaswami Nayudu of Salem, remains unmashed. Notice is hereby given that, if either the said Krishnaswami Nayudu or his legal representatives fail to attend this office and get payment of the time elapsed cheque, on or before the 10th January 1917, the value of the cheque will be credited to general revenue.

K. V. SANKARA AYYAR,
Executive Engineer, T. R. S. Division, VII Circle.

Madras, 11th November 1916.

In G.O. No. 2558, Revenue, dated 11th November 1916, the Government have sanctioned the constitution of a new Deputy Director's charge comprising the districts of Madura, Ramnad and Tinnevelly and have placed Mr. Roger Thomas in charge thereof with his headquarters at Madura.

The Government have also ordered the adoption of the following changes in the grouping and nomenclature of the several Deputy Directors' charges in future :—

Present designation.	Headquarters.	Designation as altered.	District and circles comprised in the charge.
Deputy Director of Agriculture, Northern Division.	Bellary	Deputy Director of Agriculture, I, II and III Circles	I—Godjam, Vizagapatam and Godavari.
Assistant Director of Agriculture, Northern Division.	Anakapalle ..	Assistant Director of Agriculture, I Circle. (It is semi-independent charge of the I Circle.)	II—Kistna, Guntur and Nellore.
			III—Bellary, Karnool, Anantapur and Cuddapah.
Deputy Director of Agriculture, Central Division.	St. Thomas' Mount ..	Deputy Director of Agriculture, IV Circle.	IV—North and South Arcots, Chittoor and Chingleput.
Deputy Director of Agriculture, Southern Division.	Trichinopoly ..	Deputy Director of Agriculture, V and VI. Circles.	V—Salem, Tanjore and Trichinopoly.
			VII—Malabar, South Canara and Coimbatore.
Assistant Director of Agriculture, Southern Division.	Do. ..	No definite charge fixed for the present.	. .
Nil	Madura	Deputy Director of Agriculture, VI Circle.	VI—Madura, Ramnad and Tinnevelly.

2. All applications or inquiries on agricultural matters from persons resident in the districts shown in column 4 above should ordinarily be addressed to the officer in charge as shown in column 3.

G. A. D. STUART,
Director of Agriculture.

Madras, 16th November 1916.

It is hereby notified for the information of the public that the Pumping and Boring Department having been recently transferred to the control of the Agricultural Department, Government have now sanctioned special rules for the grant of loans by the Director of Agriculture for the erection of pumping installations and that the Director of Agriculture has been authorised to grant such loans up to Rs. 3,000 in each case. Loans for larger amounts can be obtained with the sanction of Government. The Government have also appointed a Special Loans Tahsildar to make the necessary enquiries into loan applications. All intending applicants for loans for the erection of pumping installations may in future apply to the Director of Agriculture, Madras. Forms of applications with copies of the rules can be had from the office of the Director of Agriculture or from the Special Loans Tahsildar attached to the Director's office.

G. A. D. STUART,
Director of Agriculture.

Madras, 21th November 1916.

INDIAN SUBORDINATE MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

A public examination for admission to the Assistant Surgeon Branch of the Indian Subordinate Medical Department will be held on 1st February 1917, at the stations and places noted below :—

Calcutta.	Wellington.	Jhansi.
Dinapore.	Quetta.	Sialkot.
Allahabad.	Shillong.	Fyzabad.
Agra.	Peshawar.	Aden.
Lucknow.	Kasauli.	Mayavo.
Meerut	Ajmer.	Karachi.
Bareilly.	Simla.	Bombay.
Jubbulpore.	Rangoon.	Mhow
Ambala.	Madras.	Poona
Lahore Cantonment.	Ootacamund.	Kamptee.
Rawalpindi	Bangalore.	Mandalay.
Secunderabad.	Trichinopoly.	

Only Europeans and Anglo-Indians will be allowed to appear at the examination. Copies of the prospectus and any further information may be obtained from the Officer Commanding, Station Hospital, at these stations and from

(1) the Deputy Director-General, Indian Medical Service, Simla.

(2) The Personal Assistants to the Surgeons-General with the Governments of Bengal, Madras and Bombay.

(3) All Administrative Medical Officers and the Principals of the Medical Colleges at Calcutta, Madras and Bombay.

Simla, 1st November 1916.

H. F. CLEVELAND, Col., I.M.S.,
Deputy Director-General, Indian Medical Service.

CHANGE OF ADDRESS.

Notice is hereby given that the head-quarters of the Sub-Divisional Officer (Public Works Department) in charge of Nugavalli sub-division of the Vizagapatam division will be transferred from Thotapalli to Palkonda with effect from 1st January 1917 and all communications intended to him should be addressed to Palkonda from 1st January of the next year.

Vizagapatam, 14th November 1916.

H. L. NICHOLSON,
Executive Engineer, Vizagapatam Division.

TREASURE TROVE

It is hereby notified, under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act VI of 1878, that, on or about the 15th day of July 1916, the treasure described below was found in a brass *Murina* (case) partly hidden in the zamindari path land of Poppala Narasimhulu in the village of Gollagudem, Bhadrachalam taluk, Godavari district, by one Chennamantti Pichodu of the same village while grazing his cattle close by :—

Description.	Weight.		Estimated value.		
	Tolas.	Chittaks.	Rs.	A.	P.
1. Eight carat gold broken necklace (*Pusalu*)—Two pieces ..	3	2	46	0	0
2. Twelve carat gold earring with seven gold balls ..	1¼	¼	42	8	0
3. Do round piece having the shape of a sovereign ..	½	½	15	8	0
4. Silver anklet	1½	0	1	8	0
Total ..			105	5	0

All persons claiming the said treasure or any part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector, Godavari, at his office at Cocanada on 30th April 1917 with a view to the matter being enquired into and determined in accordance with the provisions of the Act.

Godavari Collector's Office,
30th November 1916.

C. B. COTTERELL,
Acting Collector.

It is hereby notified under section 5 of the Indian Treasure Trove Act VI of 1878, that treasure consisting of the undermentioned articles of the value of Rs. 16 was found about 30th December 1915 on the dry land of Mukulla Lingam Nayudu of Telagam in Parlakimedi taluk of Ganjam district :—

Description of articles.	Weight.	Estimated value.		
		Rs.	A.	P.
Three gold pice and an ear-ring	½ tola	12	0	0
Two silver anklets	1 tola and 15 annas.	4	0	0
Total ..		16	0	0

All persons claiming the said treasure or part thereof are hereby required to appear personally or by agent before the Collector of Ganjam at his office at Chatrapur on 15th December 1916 in view of the matter being enquired into or determined according to law.

Ganjam Collector's Office,
14th June 1916.

N. MACMICHAEL,
Collector.

SANITARY COMMISSIONER,

STATEMENT showing Plague Seizures and Deaths in each district of the Madras Presidency from August 1898 to 2nd December 1916.

	Second Period (July 1898 to June 1899).		Third period (July 1899 to June 1900).		Fourth period (July 1900 to June 1901).		Fifth period (July 1901 to June 1902).		Sixth period (July 1902 to June 1903).		Seventh period (July 1903 to June 1904).		Eighth period (July 1904 to June 1905).		Ninth period (July 1905 to June 1906).		Tenth period (July 1906 to June 1907).		Eleventh period (July 1907 to June 1908).		Twelfth Period (July 1908 to June 1909).		Thirteenth period (July 1909 to June 1910).		Fourteenth period (July 1910 to June 1911).		Fifteenth period (July 1911 to June 1912).		Sixteenth period (July 1912 to June 1913).		Seventeenth period (July 1913 to June 1914).		Eighteenth period (July 1914 to June 1915).		Nineteenth period (July 1915 to June 1916).		Twentieth period (July 1916 to 2nd Dec. 1916).		Grand Total	
	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.
	6	6	9	9	82	69	148	100	1,722	1,218	1,721	1,341	7	6	31	7	252	179	36	26	1	1	30	18	689	607	329	301	69	66	451	362	301	213	87	67	6,491	4,612
	118	39	4	4	2,931	2,230	8,705	5,648	8,611	7,024	10,875	7,208	4,500	2,140	204	137	2,246	1,363	315	167	7	4	1,105	892	12,047	10,145	434	309	697	391	1,908	1,211	1,391	1,029	185	131	44,843	37,574
	68	39	—	—	2	2	31	3	14	10	8	5	2	2	7	5	18	12	4	3	1	1	4	2	—	—	—	—	3	3	38	17	1	1	—	—	136	82
	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	1,181	913	177	134	11	11	7	5	35	29	373	311
	1	1	1	1	268	209	716	509	4,657	3,134	2,674	2,111	317	241	8	2	799	316	2	1	4,123	3,078	3,008	1,878	3,503	1,796	1,746	1,215	9,333	2,503	237	196	2,272	1,549	125	107	3,377	17,347
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	—	—	33	7	9	4	14	10	33	10	30	10	12	4	5	3	4	3	4	4	4	4	7	4	—	—	3	3	4	4	1	1	3	3	—	—	1	1	1,961	1,829
	—	—	4	3	3	3	7	7	11	9	37	9	47	45	20	20	780	631	99	70	781	223	184	148	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,943	1,943
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	16	11	46	36	1,011	1,030	1,106	876	2,804	1,870	778	616	63	49	23	8	96	51	11	11	10	3	343	171	1,807	1,405	1,810	1,286	8,940	2,858	364	264	1,115	670	272	168	15,218	11,364
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	110	68	1,402	1,112	803	1,291	5,703	4,607	1,256	913	1,254	1,010	150	88	207	123	1,705	930	256	201	124	116	5,162	3,226	1,402	1,108	1,221	1,173	2,206	1,250	636	371	1,021	2,018	1,147	711	27,264	21,196
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	1	1	64	1	62	62	1,114	904	569	424	719	503	125	79	115	115	254	164	219	192	192	123	598	339	913	529	313	274	254	250	74	60	153	105	65	38	4,833	3,568
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	1,232	868	1,549	1,314	9,598	8,196	17,618	14,005	19,911	14,010	20,676	14,963	5,658	3,102	921	609	8,972	5,436	1,548	1,060	5,605	4,548	10,201	8,203	10,643	8,263	5,678	4,756	31,540	6,758	3,943	2,827	5,662	4,686	2,317	1,617	187,999	119,259

STATEMENT showing Plague Seizures and Deaths in each infected place in the Madras Presidency for three weeks ending 2nd December 1916.

District and place.	Reported during the week ending 18th November 1916.						Reported during the week ending 25th November 1916.						Reported during the week ending 2nd December 1916.					
	Imported.		Indigenous.		Total.		Imported.		Indigenous.		Total.		Imported.		Indigenous.		Total.	
	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.	Seizures.	Deaths.
Anantapur district			91	11	91	11			19	4	19	4	111	10	4	1	115	11
Bellary district			110	61	110	61			11	10	11	10	4	1			4	1
Chingleput district															1		1	
Chittoor district			261	174	261	174			258	158	258	158	320	253			320	253
Coimbatore district																		
Cuddapah district																		
Kanara district																		
Kistna district																		
Kurnool district																		
Madras Town																		
Madura district																		
Malabar district																		
Nellore district																		
Nilgiris district																		
Pulicat																		
South Arcot district			31	14	31	14			25	10	25	10	41	20			41	20
Salem district																		
Tanjore district																		
Trichinopoly district																		
Vizagapatam district																		
Total	13	8	493	317	493	325	15	11	367	209	385	220	525	315	319	185	772	451

Madras, 4th December 1916.

W. A. JUSTICE, Major, I.M.S.,
Sanitary Commissioner.

JUDICIAL NOTIFICATIONS.

INVESTITURE OF POWERS.

Under section 192 of the Madras Estates Land Act, 1908 (I of 1908), and section 108 (1) of the Code of Civil Procedure (Act V of 1908), as amended by the Decentralization Act, 1914 (IV of 1914), the High Court is pleased to direct that the undermentioned officer shall, in cases in which an appeal is allowed under the Madras Estates Land Act, 1908 (I of 1908), take down the evidence with his own hand in the English language:—

M. R. Ry. Nallambakkam Vedantam Ramayya Garu, Revenue Divisional Officer, Ongole.

High Court of Judicature at Madras,
1st December 1916.

C. S. RAMACHANDRA AYYAR,
Assistant Registrar.

NOTIFICATIONS.

Under the provisions of section 122 of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908, the following draft amendments of the Appellate Side Rules 1905, and of the Civil Rules of Practice, 1905, are published for the information of all persons interested, and it is hereby notified that the amendments as well as any objections to or suggestions relating to them which may be received from any person interested in the matter will be taken into consideration by the High Court on or after the 3rd January 1917, namely:—

I. APPELLATE SIDE RULES, 1905.

(1) *Substitute* for the present rule 23 the following:—

23. The *vakalatnama* shall be executed, or its execution attested before some judicial functionary or gazetted officer, or before the Registrar, Deputy Registrar, Assistant Registrar, Sub-Assistant Registrars or Managers of the High Court, Appellate Side, or before a District or Taluk Head Munsif, or Municipal Councillor or, in the City of Madras, before any Sub-Registrar or any person upon whom a title has been conferred by Government. The judicial functionary, gazetted officer or other officer or person authorised to attest shall certify by his signature and designation that the *vakalatnama* has been duly executed.

(2) *Substitute* the following for rules 54, 55, 57—66 and the Appendix to Chapter VI:—

Preparation of affidavit.

54. (1) Every affidavit used in the High Court, Appellate Side, shall be entitled "In the High Court of Judicature, Appellate Side, Madras" and shall set forth the cause-title of the appeal or other matter in which the affidavit is sought to be used as evidence. An affidavit in support of, or in opposition to an interlocutory application relating to an appeal, petition or other proceeding pending in the High Court shall also be entitled as made in such appeal, petition or other proceeding.

(2) Every person making an affidavit shall be described in such a manner as will serve to identify him clearly, that is to say, by the statement of his full name, the name of his father, his age, his caste, his profession or trade, and the place of his residence.

(3) An affidavit shall be confined to statements of fact and be divided into numbered paragraphs, each paragraph being confined as nearly as may be to a distinct portion of the subject.

(4) When the affidavit covers more than one sheet of paper, the writing shall be on both sides of the sheet, and the declarant shall sign his name at the foot of each page of the affidavit.

(5) When the declarant speaks to any fact within his own knowledge, he shall do so directly and positively using the words "I make oath (or affirm) and say."

(6) When a particular fact is not within the declarant's own knowledge, but is stated upon information, the declarant shall use the words "I am informed by *(giving source of information if possible)* and verily believe it to be true" and set forth the grounds of his belief, if any.

Affirmation of affidavit.

55. (1) Affidavits intended for use in the Appellate side of the High Court may be made before the Registrar, the Deputy Registrar, the Assistant Registrar, the Sub-Assistant Registrars or the Managers, Appellate Side, or before the presiding officer of any Court or any Magistrate including a Village Magistrate or a Sub-Registrar, Nazir, Deputy Nazir, Assistant Nazir, or a District or Taluk Board Member or Municipal Councillor, or any person upon whom a title has been conferred by Government.

(2) Documents referred to by affidavits shall be referred to as exhibits and shall be marked in the same manner as exhibits and shall bear a certificate signed by the officer before whom the affidavit is taken in the form:

"This is the exhibit marked 'A' *(or as the case may be)* referred to in the affidavit of A. B. sworn *(or affirmed)* before me this day of 19 ."

(Signed) C.D.
(Designation.)

(3) The officer or person before whom an affidavit is made shall state the day when and the place where the same is taken and sign his name and description at the end in the form following:—

Sworn *(or solemnly affirmed)* at on this day of 19 , before me. } (Signed) M.N.

(Signed) C.D.,
(Designation.)

(4) Alterations and interlineations, if any, at all, before the affidavit is sworn or affirmed, be authenticated by the initials of the officer or person before whom the affidavit is taken and no affidavit having any alteration or interlineation not so authenticated or any erasure, shall, except with the leave of the Court, be filed or made use of in any manner. The number of any alterations or interlineations so authenticated shall be noted at the foot of each page under the initials of such officer or person. Each page shall be numbered at foot under the initials of the officer, thus—'first page', 'second page' and to the number of the last page shall be added the words . . . . . "and last page".

(5) Every person making an affidavit, if not personally known to the officer or person before whom the affidavit is taken, shall be identified by some person known to the officer or person, and the officer or person shall specify at the foot of the affidavit the name and description of him by whom the identification was made. If the declarant is not known to the officer or person and cannot be identified as above, the impression of the thumb of the declarant's left hand shall be taken at the foot of the last page of the affidavit and the following certificate shall be added to it:—

"Certified that this is the impression of the thumb of the left hand of the declarant of the above affidavit."

(Signed) A.B.
(Designation.)

(6) If the declarant is ignorant of the language in which the affidavit is written, or appears to be illiterate or blind the officer or person shall cause the affidavit to be read to the person in his presence in a language which the declarant understands. When the affidavit has been explained to the declarant, he shall be sworn or affirmed in the usual manner, and the officer or person shall certify at the foot of the affidavit as follows:—

Sworn *(or solemnly affirmed)* at on this day of 19 , before me, the contents of this affidavit *(or solemn affirmation)* and the exhibits thereto referred to having been first truly and audibly read over to the declarant in , he being unacquainted with *(or being blind)*, who appeared perfectly to understand the same and made his mark thereto *(or signed his name)* in my presence. } (Signed) S.D.

(Signed) A.B.
(Designation.)

(7) In administering oaths and affirmations, the officer or person shall be guided by the provisions of the Indian Oaths Act, X of 1873.

The following forms are to be used:—

Oath.

"I, A.B. swear by Almighty God that that is my name and handwriting, and that the contents of this my affidavit are true."

Solemn affirmation.

(a) "I, A.B. solemnly affirm in the presence of Almighty God that that is my name and handwriting, and that the contents of this my affidavit are true."

(b) "I, A.B. do solemnly, sincerely and truly declare and affirm that that is my name and handwriting, and that the contents of this my affidavit are true."

II. CIVIL RULES OF PRACTICE, 1908.

(1) *For* Rule 77, *substitute*—

"77. Affidavits intended for use in judicial proceedings may be sworn before any court or Magistrate including a village magistrate, or a sub-registrar, nazir, deputy nazir or assistant nazir, or a District or Taluk Board Member or Municipal Councillor, or, in the City of Madras, any person upon whom a rule has been conferred *by Government*.

(2) *For* the 1st clause of rule 270, *substitute* the following:—

"Save as provided in paragraph 2 of this rule, every *vakalatnama* or appointment of a pleader shall be executed, or its execution attested, before a judicial functionary, a gazetted officer, a District or a Taluk Board Member, a Municipal Councillor, an assistant *munsif* or other assistant village headman, or, in the City of Madras, before any Sub Registrar or any person upon whom a rule has been conferred *by Government*, who shall sign his name, adding his designation, on the vakalatnama in authentication of its execution or attestation.

High Court of Judicature at Madras,
17th November 1916.

C. G. MACKAY,
Registrar.

Under section 89 of the Madras Civil Courts Act, 1873, the High Court hereby directs that on account of the prevalence of plague the Courts of the Principal and Additional District Munsifs of Erode in the Coimbatore district shall be closed for a period of eighteen days from Tuesday the 5th December 1916.

High Court of Judicature at Madras,
1st December 1916.

C. G. MACKAY,
Registrar.

Notice issued by the Commissioner of Police in accordance with the powers conferred upon him by rule 16 (5) of the rules regulating the use of motor-vehicles in the Madras Presidency for the year 1916—

The use of acetylene or electric lamps or lamps of any description giving a powerful and intense light within the municipal limits of the City of Madras is hereby prohibited unless such lamps are hooded or screened to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Police.

Notice under rules 17 and 18 of the rules regulating the use of motor-vehicles in the Madras Presidency for the year 1916 issued by the Commissioner of Police—

Under rule 17.—The use of cut-outs and similar devices contemplated in rule 17 is prohibited within the municipal limits of the City of Madras.

Under rule 18.—No siren nor any form of horn or whistle worked off the exhaust nor any horn sounding more than a single note shall be used in any place, road or street within the limits of the City of Madras.

City Police Office, Madras,
20th November 1916.

F. ARMITAGE,
Commissioner of Police, Madras City.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT MADRAS.

(IN INSOLVENCY.)

In pursuance of orders of this Court made in the matter of the undermentioned insolvent debtors and respectively dated 4th, 16th and 23rd October 1916, it is notified that the said insolvents have been discharged in respect of all the debts provable in the matter of their insolvency:—

Petition number.	Names of insolvents.	Date of discharge.
57 of 1913	V. Janarthanam Naicker	4th October 1916.
192 of 1914	Shaik Muhammad Hussain Sahib	Do.
206 of 1914	A. Loudesamy Pillai	Do.
325 of 1915	K. Kader Moideen Sahib	Do.
185 of 1912	Sir Salam Jacob Thompson	16th October 1916.
209 of 1912	M. C. Govindarajulu Nayudu	Do.
65 of 1913	E. Sanjour	Do.
195 of 1913	Mrs. Mary Sanjour	Do.
193 of 1914	A. T. Attwood	Do.
301 of 1914	T. Vijayarangam Pillai	Do.
276 of 1915	E. Varadarajulu Nayudu	Do.
262 of 1914	K. Subramania Ayyar	Do.
249 of 1914	Velumpalli Ankaiah Chetty	23rd October 1916.
13 of 1915	V. Cuddappa Mudali	Do.
		Do.

Official Assignee's Office, Madras.
26th November 1916.

F. H. WILSON,
Official Assignee.

Notice is hereby given that a Court will be held on Monday the 8th day of January 1917 at 11 o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of declaring the dividend in the matter hereunder-mentioned and that all objections to the schedule filed therein and claims of any of the creditors appearing therein which have not previously been determined, will then be heard and determined.

Serial number of petition.	Name of insolvent.	Dividend.
122 of 1906 ..	Thatha Varadharajulu Chetti	First

High Court of Judicature at Madras,
2nd December 1916.

J. R. ATKINSON,
Deputy Registrar.

INSOLVENCY PETITIONS.

No. 1 of 1916 in the Court of the District Judge, Nellore.

Earle Pattabhirami Reddi, son of Ranga Reddi, kapu and resident of Kovur .. .. *Petitioner.*
Veleti Adisehayya and seventeen others .. .. .. *Creditors.*

Notice is hereby given that the aforesaid petitioner has been adjudged an insolvent by this Court on 16th November 1916 and that all creditors should prove their claims as soon as possible and that a claim may be proved by delivering or sending by post in a registered letter to this Court an affidavit in Form No. 3.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court this 30th day of November 1916.

No. 8 of 1916 in the Court of the District Judge, Nellore.

Thammandru Venkatrangayya, son of Narasayya, Vaisya and trader of Kurichedu, Darsi division .. .. *Petitioner.*
Penugonda Chenchayya and twenty-two others .. .. .. *Creditors.*

Notice is hereby given that the aforesaid petitioner has applied to this Court to be adjudged an insolvent and that the petition is posted to 9th January 1917 for hearing.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court this 30th day of November 1916.

C. KRISHNASWAMI RAO,
District Judge.

No. 3 of 1916 in the Court of the District Judge, Salem.

Kuppuswami Asari .. .. *Petitioner.*
Krishna Chetti and others .. .. *Creditors.*

Under section 16, clause 7 of Act III of 1907, it is hereby notified that the aforesaid Kuppuswami Asari was adjudged an insolvent on the 17th day of November 1916 by this Court and that creditors should prove their claim on or before 11th January 1917 and that a claim may be proved by delivering or sending by post in a registered letter to the Court an affidavit in Form No. 3 appended to the Madras Provincial Insolvency Rules, 1908.

No. 11 of 1915 in the Court of the District Judge, Salem.

Sangoda Goundan .. .. *Petitioner.*
Pavayammal and others .. .. *Creditors.*

Under section 16, clause (7) of Act III of 1907, it is hereby notified that the above said Sangoda Goundan was adjudged an an insolvent on the 17th day of November 1916 by this Court and that creditors should prove their claims on or before 11th January 1917 and that a claim may be proved by delivering or sending by post in a registered letter to the Court an affidavit in Form No. 3 appended to the Madras Provincial Insolvency Rules, 1908.

No. 12 of 1916 in the Court of the District Judge, Salem.

Kuttakathi Kandappa Goundan .. .. *Petitioner.*
Kali Goundan and others .. .. *Creditors.*

Under section 16, clause 7 of Act III of 1907, it is hereby notified that the aforesaid Kuttakathi Kandappa Goundan was adjudged an an insolvent on the 17th day of November 1916 by this court and that creditors should prove their claims on or before 11th January 1917 and that a claim may be proved by delivering or sending by post in a registered letter to the court an affidavit in Form No. 3 appended to the Madras Provincial Insolvency Rules, 1908.

No. 13 of 1916 in the Court of the District Judge, Salem.

Karuppa Goundan .. .. *Petitioner.*
Sattayammal and others .. .. *Creditors.*

Under section 16, clause 7 of Act III of 1907, it is hereby notified that the aforesaid Karuppa Goundan was adjudged an an insolvent on the 17th day of November 1916 by the court and that creditors should prove their claims on or before 11th January 1917, and that a claim may be proved by delivering or sending by post in a registered letter to the court an affidavit in Form No. 3 appended to the Madras Provincial Insolvency Rules, 1908.

No. 16 of 1916 in the Court of the District Judge, Salem.

Abdul Sattar Sahib .. .. *Petitioner.*
Haji Noor Muhammad Usman Sait Company and others .. .. *Creditors.*

Notice is hereby given that the above-named petitioner has applied to this Court praying that he may be adjudged an insolvent. The petition has been posted for hearing on the 16th day of December 1916.

District Court, Salem,
27th November 1916.

J. T. GILLESPIE,
District Judge.

No. 25 of 1916 in the Court of the District Judge, South Malabar.

Meedna Manakkal Narayanan Nambudri and another .. .. *Petitioners.*
Panayoor Manakkal Parameswaran Namboodri'n son Neelakandhan Namboodri .. .. *Counter-petitioner.*

Notice is hereby given that an insolvency petition has been filed by the petitioners to adjudge the counter-petitioner an insolvent and that the said petition is posted for hearing for 14th December 1916.

District Court, South Malabar,
23rd November 1916.

G. H. B. JACKSON,
District Judge.

No. 11 of 1916 in the Court of the District Judge, Tinnevelly.

In the matter of Karuvelam Pillai.

Arunpa Navakar .. .. *Petitioner (Creditor).*
Karuvelam Pillai .. .. *Respondent (Debtor).*

Notice is hereby given, under clause (7) of section 16 of Act III of 1907, that Karuvelam Pillai, son of Pachaiveramal Pillai, residing at Vadakku Car street, Melur, Tuticorin, has, by an order of this Court, dated the 24th day of November 1916, been adjudicated insolvent and the creditors are required to prove their debts as soon as possible by delivering or sending by registered post to the Official Receiver, Tinnevelly, an affidavit in Form No. 3 of the Madras Provincial Insolvency Rules, 1908.

No. 27 of 1916 in the Court of the District Judge, Tinnevelly.

In the matter of T. S. Duraiswami Pillai

Muthu Pulavan .. .. *Petitioner (Creditor).*
T. S. Duraiswami Pillai .. .. *Respondent (Debtor).*

Notice is hereby given, under clause (7) of section 16 of Act III of 1907, that T. S. Duraiswami Pillai, son of Subramania Pillai, residing at Thadiveerayyan Kovil street, Tinnevelly town, has, by an order of this Court, dated the 24th November 1916, been adjudicated insolvent and the creditors are required to prove their debts as soon as possible by delivering or sending by registered post to the Official Receiver, Tinnevelly, an affidavit in Form No. 3 of the Madras Provincial Insolvency Rules, 1908.

District Court, Tinnevelly,
1st December 1916.

A. EDGINGTON,
District Judge.

No. 14 of 1916 in the Court of the Temporary Subordinate Judge, Guntur.

Venjeti Krishnamma .. .. *Petitioner*
Vankalapati Ejeswaya and nineteen others .. .. .. *Creditors.*

Notice is hereby given under section 16, clause (7) of Act III of 1907, that the abovenamed petitioner was adjudged insolvent by an order of the Court dated the 24th day of November 1916. The creditors should prove their claims before the Official Receiver at Guntur.

Temporary Subordinate Judge's Court, Guntur,
24th November 1916.

A. SAMBAMURTI AYYAR,
Subordinate Judge.

No. 2 of 1916 in the Court of the District Munsif, Amalapur.

Chollangi Pullayya, son of Ramanna, residing at Peror, Amalapur taluk, Godavari district .. .. *Petitioner.*

Notice is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of Act III of 1907, that the above petitioner has applied to this Court for being adjudged insolvent and that his application is posted to 16th January 1917 for hearing.

District Munsif's Court, Amalapur,
30th November 1916.

K. PURUSHOTTAM PANTULU,
District Munsif.

No. 4 of 1916 in the Court of the District Munsif, Dharmapuri.

Govindasami Reddi, son of Chinnaiya Reddi, and his son Viraraghava Reddiar Hosur, Uttankarai taluk .. .. *Petitioners.*
Amir Sahib and seven others .. .. *Creditors.*

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed petitioners have applied for being declared insolvents and that their petition is posted to the 19th day of December 1916 for hearing.

District Munsif's Court, Dharmapuri,
21st November 1916.

V. K. RANGA ACHARIYAR,
District Munsif.

No. 7 of 1916 in the Court of the District Munsif, Kavali.

Vedam Seetharamiah .. .. *Petitioner.*
Aiyatha Rangamanaar and sixteen others .. .. *Creditors.*

Notice is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of Act III of 1907, that Vedam Seetharamiah, son of Venkatramiah, Brahman and landholder of Alarpad, Kovur taluk, Nellore district, has applied to this Court for being declared insolvent and that his application is posted for hearing to the 13th day of December 1916.

Any creditor wishing to oppose the said application may appear before this Court either in person or by pleader on the said date.

District Munsif's Court, Kavali,
25th November 1916.

B. SUBBA RAO,
District Munsif.

No. 2 of 1916 in the Court of the Principal District Munsif, Srivilliputtur.

Shanmukham Pillai, son of Rajapalayam Chithirapathira Pillai, residing at Seitur zamin kasba, Srivilliputtur taluk, Ramnad district .. *Petitioner.*
Ayyappa Nayaka and nine others .. .. *Creditors.*

Notice is hereby given, under section 12, clause (2), of Act III of 1907, that the abovenamed petitioner has applied to this Court to be declared an insolvent and that his application stands posted for hearing to 16th day of January 1917. Creditors desirous of opposing the petition may appear that day either in person or by pleader.

Principal District Munsif's Court, Srivilliputtur,
29th November 1916.

V. S. KRISHNA AYYAR,
Principal District Munsif.

No. 27 of 1916 in the Court of the Principal District Munsif, Tenali.

Gaddi Nagayya of Kollur .. .. *Petitioner (Debtor).*
(1) Suryadevara Rajagopalam, (2) Suryadevara Purushottam, being minors, by mother and guardian Kotamma and four others .. *Counter-Petitioners (Creditors).*

Notice is hereby given under section 12 (2) of Act III of 1907, that the abovenamed petitioner has applied to this court for being adjudged insolvent and that petition stands posted to the 15th day of December 1916 and that any creditor wishing to oppose the same may appear before this court either in person or by pleader on the day of hearing.

Principal District Munsif's Court, Tenali,
1st December 1916.

L. NARAYANA AYYAR,
Principal District Munsif.

No. 5 of 1916 in the Court of the District Munsif, Udipi.

Moojunatha Tawker, son of Ponduranga Tawker, residing in Cherkadi village, Nilanar Magane, Udipi taluk .. .. *Petitioner.*
Edward Lois and twenty-two others .. .. *Creditors.*

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed petitioner has applied to this Court for being adjudged an insolvent and that the petition is posted to 5th January 1917 for hearing.

District Munsif's Court, Udipi,
25th November 1916.

M. ANANTHAGIRI RAO,
District Munsif.

No. 30 of 1916 in the Court of the Official Receiver, Chingleput.

Ranganami Mudali, son of Ramalinga Mudali, No. 48, Kosatheravu, Big Conjeveram .. .. *Petitioner.*
Sivagama Ammal and others .. .. *Respondents.*

Notice is hereby given that, under section 12 (2) of Act III of 1907, the abovenamed petitioner was adjudicated an insolvent on 10th October 1916. All his creditors are required to prove their claims as soon as possible by delivering by registered post to the Official Receiver, Chingleput, an affidavit in Form No. 3 of the Madras Provincial Insolvency Rules.

No. 52 of 1916 in the Court of the Official Receiver, Chingleput.

Ponnuswami Thambiran, son of Arunachala Thambiran, residing in Andurkanpatti, Madurantakam taluk .. .. *Petitioner.*
Murugesa Pillai and others .. .. *Respondents.*

Notice is hereby given that, under section 12 (2) of Act III of 1907, the abovenamed petitioner has applied for being declared an insolvent and that his application is posted to 20th January 1917 for hearing.

Official Receiver's Court, Chingleput,
1st December 1916.

P. RAJAGOPALA ACHARIYAR,
Official Receiver.

No. 99 of 1916 in the Court of the Official Receiver, Kistna.

Totety Paravatalu alias Nova, Ambaparum, Bezwada taluk .. *Insolvent (Petitioner).*
Veppalapatty Appalaraju and others .. .. *Respondents.*

Notice is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of Act III of 1907, that the abovenamed petitioner Totety Paravatalu alias Nova has applied for being declared an insolvent and that his application is posted for hearing to 20th December 1916.

Any creditor wishing to oppose the same may appear before this Court either in person or by pleader at 2 p.m. on the said date.

No. 114 of 1916 in the Court of the Official Receiver, Kistna.

Velety Abbulu, etc., of Lingala, Gudivada taluk .. .. *Insolvents (Petitioners).*
Munnaluri Venkata Subbayya and others .. .. .. *Respondents.*

Notice is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of Act III of 1907, that the abovenamed petitioners Velety Abbulu, etc, have applied for being declared insolvents and that their application is posted for hearing to 20th December 1916.

Any creditor wishing to oppose the same may appear before this Court either in person or by pleader at 2 p.m. on the said date.

No. 115 of 1916 in the Court of the Official Receiver, Kistna.

Yerabote Appalaswami of Palacola .. .. *Petitioner (Insolvent).*
Palukuri Lingaya and others .. .. *Respondents.*

Notice is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of Act III of 1907, that the abovenamed petitioner Yerabote Appalaswami has applied for being declared an insolvent and that his application is posted for hearing to 20th December 1916.

Any creditor wishing to oppose the same may appear before this Court either in person or by pleader at 2 p.m. on the said date.

No. 131 of 1916 in the Court of the Official Receiver, Kistna.

Kalli Venkanna of Peolla, Ellore taluk .. .. *Petitioner (Insolvent).*
Tota Venkatramayya and others .. .. *Respondents.*

Notice is hereby given, under clause (2) of section 12 of Act III of 1907, that the abovenamed petitioner Kalli Venkanna has applied for being declared an insolvent and that his application is posted for hearing to 20th December 1916.

Any creditor wishing to oppose the same may appear before this Court either in person or by pleader at 2 p.m. on the said date.

Official Receiver's Court, Kistna, Masulipatam,
27th November 1916.

BH. SRIRAMULU,
Official Receiver.

No. 14 of 1916 in the Court of the District Munsif, Srirangam.

Meenachi Sundaramaiyar, son of Thottiam Ramaswami Ayyar, Muttrusamallar, Trichinopoly taluk .. .. *Petitioner.*
Pokkalingam Chettiyar and others .. .. *Counter-petitioners.*

Whereas the abovenamed petitioner has applied to the District Munsif's Court of Srirangam to be adjudged an insolvent and the said Court has transferred the said application to me for disposal, notice is hereby given that the said application will be heard by me on 18th December 1916.

No. 25 of 1916 in the Court of the District Munsif, Trichinopoly.

Meeyan Pillai alias Muhammad Moideen Rowther, son of Muhammad Ibrahim Rowther, Beemanayakanpalam, Trichinopoly taluk .. *Petitioners*
Shaik Abdul Kadir Rowther and others .. .. *Counter-petitioners.*

Notice is hereby given that the abovenamed petitioner was adjudged an insolvent on 25th November 1916 and his further examination takes place on 16th December 1916. All his creditors are required to prove their claims, as soon as possible, by delivering or sending by registered post to the Official Receiver, Trichinopoly, an affidavit in Form No. 3 of the Madras Provincial Insolvency Rules, 1913.

No. 28 of 1916 in the Court of the District Munsif, Trichinopoly.

Ecclesiam Pillai, son of Nallu Pillai, Pudu street lane, East Andar street, Trichinopoly Fort .. .. *Petitioners*
Ramaswami Kavundan and others .. .. *Counter-petitioners.*

Whereas the abovenamed petitioner has applied to the District Munsif's Court of Trichinopoly to be adjudged an insolvent and the said Court has transferred the said application to me for disposal, notice is hereby given that the said application will be heard by me on 19th December 1916.

Official Receiver's Court, Trichinopoly,
27th November 1916.

C. KUMARACHARAVARTHY AYYANGAR,
Official Receiver.

FINANCIAL NOTIFICATION.

STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS OF THE BANK OF MADRAS FOR THE WEEK ENDING 2ND DECEMBER 1916.

Liabilities.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
Capital paid up				75,00,000	0	0
Reserve Fund				35,00,000	0	0
Public Deposits at Head Office ..	37,64,240	11	6			
Public Deposits at Branches ..	37,07,583	11	6	74,71,824	0	12
Other Deposits at Head Office and Branches,				6,29,16,956	12	8
Bank Post Bills, etc.				1,80,616	20	0
Sundries				16,71,050	8	1
Rupees ..				11,75,90,446	3	7

Assets.	Rs.	A.	P.
Government Securities	1,78,56,733	4	7
Other authorised Investments ..	6,40,685	12	0
Loans on Government and other authorised Securities ..	3,32,79,036	15	6
Accounts of Credit on Government and other authorised Securities ..	2,42,21,217	4	3
Bills discounted and purchased ..	3,04,20,619	10	3
Balances with other Banks	52,67,054	6	0
Bullion	14,056	14	0
Dead Stock	14,056	14	0
Stamps	6,44,161	2	7
Sundries	27,998	2	0
	4,53,956	7	8
Cash and Currency Notes at Head Office and Branches.*	9,03,55,008	0	5
	2,56,72,437	2	2
Rupees ..	11,75,90,446	3	7

* Includes 45,502½ Sovereigns at Rs. 6,80,537-8-0.

(By Order of the Directors)

H. E. HOLMES,
Chief Accountant.

W. B. HUNTER,
Secretary and Treasurer.

Rate for Demand Loans—7 per cent.

Percentage of Cash to Liabilities payable on demand, 55·51.

Bank of Madras, Madras, 4th December 1916.

PUBLIC WORKS NOTIFICATIONS.

UNCLAIMED SUMS.

Notice is hereby given that the amounts as noted below, being the arrears of wages due to work people in the Madura Drainage division, are outstanding in the accounts of this office and if they are not claimed within three months from the date of this notification they will be credited to Government :—

Serial number.	Name.	Ticket number.	Period of nominal muster roll.	Amount due. Rs.	A.	P.
1	Muruguppan	35	26th to 29th March 1916	0	2	9
2	Thangaswamy	37	Do.	0	4	6
3	Ammal	1c	27th March to 2nd April 1916 ..	0	4	0
4	Karuppuswamy Mudaly ..	66	3rd to 8th April 1916	0	6	0
5	Angammal	69	Do.	1	4	6
6	Pandaram	2	Do.	0	12	6
7	Seduram	20	10th to 15th April 1916	0	12	6
8	Paramal	76	Do.	0	4	6
9	Ramabadran	50	1st to 7th May 1916	0	10	6
10	Chinnaswamy	11	Do.	0	6	6
11	Athiragan	8	Do.	0	2	0
12	Mayandi	15	8th to 13th May 1916	0	6	6
13	Perumal	43	Do.	0	10	6
14	Dandayuthy	1	8th to 10th May 1916	0	2	0
15	Chinna Vellaswamy	6	8th to 13th May 1916	0	6	0
16	Perumaswamy	10	Do.	0	6	0
17	Rakkammal	1	15th to 20th May 1916	0	6	0
18	Krishnaiyan	22	22nd to 27th May 1916	1	6	6
19	Ammiyandi	18	Do.	1	6	0
20	Sinna Chinni	45	Do.	0	4	0
21	Joseph	14	29th May to 3rd June 1916	1	6	0
22	Kamil Ammal	67	Do.	1	2	9

J. S. WESTERDALE,
Executive Engineer, Madura Drainage Division.

Madura, 13th November 1916.

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A sum of Rs. 66-9-2 due to piece-worker, Gazula Nowlah of Bezwada, for work done on "Constructing General Hospital, Guntur", has been outstanding in this office accounts from June 1916. If the said piece-worker, G. Nowlah, does not attend the office of the undersigned to receive payment of the above sum within two months from the date of this notice, the amount will be credited to Government.

G. RAMASWAMI AYYAR,
Executive Engineer, Guntur Division.

Guntur, 15th November 1916.

Notice is hereby given that an amount of Rs. 14-3-0 (fourteen rupees and three annas only), due to one Ivenayagam for earning cement for the work of additions and improvements to the Municipal Hospital, Vellore, estimate Rs. 52,850, is outstanding in the accounts of this division from August 1913. The amount will be credited to Government if not claimed before March 1917.

A. W. ROBERT,
Executive Engineer, North Arcot Division.

Vellore, 23rd November 1916.

MARINE NOTIFICATIONS.

NOTICES TO MARINERS.

No. 49 OF 1916.

INDIA—EAST COAST—BAY OF BENGAL—MADRAS HARBOUR.

DESTRUCTION OF NORTH ARM OCCULTING LIGHT.

Light wrecked on 29 during Cyclone of 22nd November 1916.

Position.—Latitude 13° 6′ N., Longitude 80° 18′ E.
Description.—Red and White IV Order alternating Occulting Light every 15 seconds.
Recent Notice.—No. 6 of 1912, dated 14th February 1912, Madras Notices.
Charts affected.—Madras to Ramnagapatam 976.
,, to Pamban Calmeres 74.
Cape Comorin to Coconada 828.
Bay of Bengal ,, 70.
Publications.—Bay of Bengal Pilot.
List of lights-vessels and light vessels in British India, 30th June 1915.
Remarks.—A temporary Fixed Red light will be exhibited on or about the 12th December 1916, from a position 60 yards South of the old light and 31 feet above high water.
Authority.—Chief Engineer, Madras Port Trust.

Presidency Port Office, Madras,
16th November 1916.

C. W. SHEARME, Commander, R.I.M.,
Presidency Port Officer.

No. 50 OF 1916.

The following is republished for information.

Presidency Port Office, Madras,
1st December 1916.

F. G. SMITH,
for Presidency Port Officer.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

No. 829.

CHINA SEA—TIENTSIN DISTRICT—GULF OF PECHILI—ENTRANCE TO THE HAIHO.

Fort Light discontinued.

Notice is hereby given that the Fort Light at the Entrance to the Haiho, Gulf of Pechili, has been discontinued.

(By order of the Inspector-General of Customs)

The Maritime Customs, Coast Inspector's Office,
Shanghai, 27th October 1916.

W. F. TYLER,
Coast Inspector.

LIST OF SHIPPING IN MADRAS HARBOUR with DESTINATION, etc., on the 2nd December 1916, as reported at the office.

Ship's name.	Tonnage.	Master	Destination.	When to sail.	Agents.
S.S. "Coconada"	2,163	T. C. Lima	Rangoon	1916, 4th December	Messrs. Binny & Co., Ltd.
S.S. "Clan Mac-millan"	4,605	G. Young	Calcutta	4th ,,	Messrs. Gordon, Woodroffe & Co.
S.S. "Eurydice"	2,208	S. N. Rowe	Rangoon	4th ,,	Messrs. Binny & Co., Ltd.
H.T. "Retriever"	760	A. M. Dickson	Calcutta	2nd ,,	Government.

REPORT OF VESSELS arrived at and departed from the PORT OF MADRAS from 26th November to the 2nd December 1916.

ARRIVALS.

Date arrived.	Vessel's name	Tons.	Nation.	Master.	Where from.	Berths occupied.
1916.						
26th Nov. ..	S.S. "Antral"	5,185	A.	J. A. Ramsay ..	San Francisco ..	No. 6.
27th do. ..	S.S. "Mandala"	5,180	B.	C. J. Swanson ..	Calcutta ..	No. 4.
27th do. ..	S.S. "Marbura"	5,107	B	H. Manley ..	London ..	No. 2
28th do. ..	S.S. "Thongwa"	3,428	B.	F. Johnson ..	Singapore ..	South Quay.
30th do. ..	S.S. "Loggoverea"	2,208	D.	E. Vander Wijk ..	Samarang ..	No. 1
1st Dec. ..	S.S. "Eurydice"	2,205	B	S. M. Love ..	Negapatam ..	No. 4
1st do. ..	H.T. "Estuary"	250	B.	A. M. Dodson ..	Calcutta ..	No. 5.

DEPARTURES.

Date sailed.	Vessel's name.	Tons.	Nation.	Master.	Where bound.	Berths occupied.
1916.						
26th Nov. ..	S.S. "Clan Lamont" ..	2,236	B.	W. F. Smith ..	London ..	No. 2.
26th do. ..	H.T. "Gunda"	397	B	D. F. Malcolm ..	Colombo ..	No. 5.
27th do. ..	H.T. "Katerna"	565	B	A. Maclean ..	Pambun ..	No. 6.
28th do. ..	S.S. "Antral"	5,185	A	J. A. Ramsay ..	Calcutta ..	No. 6
29th do. ..	S.S. "Thongwa"	3,428	B	F. Johnson ..	Singapore ..	South Quay.
29th do. ..	S.S. "Mandala"	5,180	B.	C. J. Swanson ..	London ..	No. 4.
30th do. ..	S.S. "Marbura"	5,107	B.	H. Manley ..	Colombo ..	No. 3.
1st Dec. ..	S.S. "Loggoveen"	2,205	D.	E. Vander Wijk ..	Do. ..	No. 2.

Harbour Office, Madras,
2nd December 1916.

A. S. BALFOUR, Commander, R.I.M.,
Deputy Conservator of Madras.

REVENUE NOTIFICATIONS.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The person named below has been granted a certificate of approval under the mining rules—

Serial number.	Name and address.	Date of order granting the certificate.	Area over which the person proposes to prospect or mine.
1	M.R.Ry. Godavalli Krishnayya of Nandamur, Nuzvid taluk, Kistna district.	27th November 1916 ..	Madras Presidency.

Board of Revenue (Land Revenue),
Madras, 27th November 1916.

Assignment of lands included in "village greens" on the Shevaroy Hills in the Salem district is restricted to Malavalis. No valid title or interest will be conferred by any transaction in lands which are included in village greens and which have been assigned subsequent to 7th March 1916, unless the parties to the transaction had previously obtained written sanction thereto from the Collector of the district.

H. R. PATE,
Secretary.

Board of Revenue (Land Revenue),
Madras, 28th November 1916.

No. 14.—Under clause (*d*) of section 29 (2) of the Madras Abkari Act, I of 1886, and in virtue of the powers delegated under clause XIII (4) of Government Notification No. 485, dated 13th July 1898, the Commissioner of Salt, Abkari and Separate Revenue hereby prescribes the following rules in supersession of those contained in the first part of Notification No. 13, dated 22nd March 1910, published on pages 605—606 of the *Fort St. George Gazette*, dated 29th March 1910, Part II, as subsequently amended:—

The following instruments shall be used in the testing of liquor, and the following tables of correction according to temperature shall be used therewith.

Instruments.	Corresponding tables.
Sikes' hydrometer, consisting of five glass stems, graduated from 0 to 20, 20 to 40, 40 to 60, 60 to 80 and 80 to 100, respectively.	Tables for ascertaining the strength of spirits by Sikes' hydrometer, known as "Revised Sikes' Tables."
Sikes' extended hydrometer, for reading the strength of liquor of high alcoholic value, consisting of one glass stem graduated from 80-20.	
Single stem hydrometer or standardised at a temperature of 55° F and graduated from proof to 40° U.P. or from 10° U.P. to 10° U.P.	The subjoined table to be used according to the appended directions.

Temperature (°F.)	Proof—5° U.P.	5·1° U.P.—10° U.P.	10·1° U.P.—15° U.P.	15·1° U.P.—20° U.P.	20·1° U.P.—25° U.P.	25·1° U.P.—30° U.P.	30·1° U.P.—35° U.P.	35·1° U.P.—40° U.P.	40·1° U.P.—45° U.P.	45·1° U.P.—50° U.P.	50·1° U.P.—55° U.P.	55·1° U.P.—60° U.P.	60·1° U.P.—65° U.P.	65·1° U.P.—70° U.P.	Remarks.
50	14·6	13·6	14·6	14·9	15·0	15·2	15·3	15·2	15·0	14·8	14·5	14·3	14·0	13·8	13·6
51	13·8	13·2	13·8	14·3	14·5	14·8	14·9	14·8	14·6	14·4	14·1	13·9	13·7	13·4	13·2
52	13·0	12·9	13·5	14·0	14·3	14·5	14·6	14·5	14·3	14·1	13·8	13·6	13·4	13·1	12·9
53	12·7	12·7	13·2	13·8	14·0	14·2	14·3	14·2	14·0	13·8	13·5	13·3	13·1	12·8	12·6
54	12·4	12·3	12·9	13·5	13·7	13·9	14·0	13·9	13·7	13·5	13·2	13·0	12·8	12·5	12·3
55	12·1	11·8	12·6	13·2	13·4	13·6	13·7	13·6	13·4	13·2	12·9	12·7	12·5	12·2	12·0
56	11·8	11·5	12·3	12·9	13·1	13·3	13·4	13·3	13·1	12·9	12·6	12·4	12·2	11·9	11·7
57	11·5	11·2	12·0	12·6	12·8	13·0	13·1	13·0	12·8	12·6	12·3	12·1	11·9	11·6	11·4
58	11·2	10·9	11·7	12·3	12·5	12·7	12·8	12·7	12·5	12·3	12·0	11·8	11·6	11·3	11·1
59	10·9	10·6	11·4	12·0	12·2	12·4	12·5	12·4	12·2	12·0	11·7	11·5	11·3	11·0	10·8
60	10·6	10·3	11·1	11·7	11·9	12·1	12·2	12·1	11·9	11·7	11·4	11·2	11·0	10·7	10·5
61	10·3	10·0	10·8	11·4	11·6	11·8	11·9	11·8	11·6	11·4	11·1	10·9	10·7	10·4	10·2
62	10·0	9·7	10·5	11·1	11·3	11·5	11·6	11·5	11·3	11·1	10·8	10·6	10·4	10·1	9·9
63	9·7	9·4	10·2	10·8	11·0	11·2	11·3	11·2	11·0	10·8	10·5	10·3	10·1	9·8	9·6
64	9·4	9·1	9·9	10·5	10·7	10·9	11·0	10·9	10·7	10·5	10·2	10·0	9·8	9·5	9·3
65	9·1	8·8	9·6	10·2	10·4	10·6	10·7	10·6	10·4	10·2	9·9	9·7	9·5	9·2	9·0
66	8·8	8·5	9·3	9·9	10·1	10·3	10·4	10·3	10·1	9·9	9·6	9·4	9·2	8·9	8·7
67	8·5	8·2	9·0	9·6	9·8	10·0	10·1	10·0	9·8	9·6	9·3	9·1	8·9	8·6	8·4
68	8·2	7·9	8·7	9·3	9·5	9·7	9·8	9·7	9·5	9·3	9·0	8·8	8·6	8·3	8·1
69	7·9	7·6	8·4	9·0	9·2	9·4	9·5	9·4	9·2	9·0	8·7	8·5	8·3	8·0	7·8
70	7·6	7·3	8·1	8·7	8·9	9·1	9·2	9·1	8·9	8·7	8·4	8·2	8·0	7·7	7·5
71	7·3	7·0	7·8	8·4	8·6	8·8	8·9	8·8	8·6	8·4	8·1	7·9	7·7	7·4	7·2
72	7·0	6·7	7·5	8·1	8·3	8·5	8·6	8·5	8·3	8·1	7·8	7·6	7·4	7·1	6·9
73	6·7	6·4	7·2	7·8	8·0	8·2	8·3	8·2	8·0	7·8	7·5	7·3	7·1	6·8	6·6
74	6·4	6·1	6·9	7·5	7·7	7·9	8·0	7·9	7·7	7·5	7·2	7·0	6·8	6·5	6·3
75	6·1	5·8	6·6	7·2	7·4	7·6	7·7	7·6	7·4	7·2	6·9	6·7	6·5	6·2	6·0
76	5·8	5·5	6·3	6·9	7·1	7·3	7·4	7·3	7·1	6·9	6·6	6·4	6·2	5·9	5·7
77	5·5	5·2	6·0	6·6	6·8	7·0	7·1	7·0	6·8	6·6	6·3	6·1	5·9	5·6	5·4
78	5·2	4·9	5·7	6·3	6·5	6·7	6·8	6·7	6·5	6·3	6·0	5·8	5·6	5·3	5·1
79	4·9	4·6	5·4	6·0	6·2	6·4	6·5	6·4	6·2	6·0	5·7	5·5	5·3	5·0	4·8
80	4·6	4·3	5·1	5·7	5·9	6·1	6·2	6·1	5·9	5·7	5·4	5·2	5·0	4·7	4·5
81	4·3	4·0	4·8	5·4	5·6	5·8	5·9	5·8	5·6	5·4	5·1	4·9	4·7	4·4	4·2
82	4·0	3·7	4·5	5·1	5·3	5·5	5·6	5·5	5·3	5·1	4·8	4·6	4·4	4·1	3·9
83	3·7	3·4	4·2	4·8	5·0	5·2	5·3	5·2	5·0	4·8	4·5	4·3	4·1	3·8	3·6
84	3·4	3·1	3·9	4·5	4·7	4·9	5·0	4·9	4·7	4·5	4·2	4·0	3·8	3·5	3·3
85	3·1	2·8	3·6	4·2	4·4	4·6	4·7	4·6	4·4	4·2	3·9	3·7	3·5	3·2	3·0
86	2·8	2·5	3·3	3·9	4·1	4·3	4·4	4·3	4·1	3·9	3·6	3·4	3·2	2·9	2·7
87	2·5	2·2	3·0	3·6	3·8	4·0	4·1	4·0	3·8	3·6	3·3	3·1	2·9	2·6	2·4
88	2·2	1·9	2·7	3·3	3·5	3·7	3·8	3·7	3·5	3·3	3·0	2·8	2·6	2·3	2·1
89	1·9	1·6	2·4	3·0	3·2	3·4	3·5	3·4	3·2	3·0	2·7	2·5	2·3	2·0	1·8
90	1·6	1·3	2·1	2·7	2·9	3·1	3·2	3·1	2·9	2·7	2·4	2·2	2·0	1·7	1·5
91	1·3	1·0	1·8	2·4	2·6	2·8	2·9	2·8	2·6	2·4	2·1	1·9	1·7	1·4	1·2
92	1·0	0·8	1·5	2·1	2·3	2·5	2·6	2·5	2·3	2·1	1·8	1·6	1·4	1·1	0·9
93	0·8	0·5	1·2	1·8	2·0	2·2	2·3	2·2	2·0	1·8	1·5	1·3	1·1	0·8	0·6
94	0·5	0·2	0·9	1·5	1·7	1·9	2·0	1·9	1·7	1·5	1·2	1·0	0·8	0·5	0·3
95	0·2	0·0	0·6	1·2	1·4	1·6	1·7	1·6	1·4	1·2	0·9	0·7	0·5	0·2	0·0
96	0·0	0·0	0·3	0·9	1·1	1·3	1·4	1·3	1·1	0·9	0·6	0·4	0·2	0·0	0·0
97	0·0	0·0	0·0	0·6	0·8	1·0	1·1	1·0	0·8	0·6	0·3	0·1	0·0	0·0	0·0
98	0·0	0·0	0·0	0·3	0·5	0·7	0·8	0·7	0·5	0·3	0·0	0·0	0·0	0·0	0·0
99	0·0	0·0	0·0	0·0	0·2	0·4	0·5	0·4	0·2	0·0	0·0	0·0	0·0	0·0	0·0
100	0·0	0·0	0·0	0·0	0·0	0·1	0·2	0·1	0·0	0·0	0·0	0·0	0·0	0·0	0·0

The true strength are found by subtracting the figures above the thick horizontal lines from, and adding those below to, the indication on the stem.

Examples for use.

(i) Temperature ... ... 97°F.
Indication 57

Against the temperature of 97° will be found in column 15—1·5. By adding 1·5 to 57, the true strength of the liquor 58·5 U.P. is obtained.

(ii) Temperature ... ... 83°F.
Indication 23

Against the temperature of 83° will be found in column 6—2·6. By subtracting 2·6 from 23, the true strength of the liquor 20·4 U.P. is obtained.

The strength of liquor weaker than 50 U.P. cannot be determined at any temperature below 68°F. To find the strength of such liquor at a lower temperature, it will be necessary to raise the temperature of the liquor until the line on the stem showing 60 just becomes visible under the surface of the liquor, noting the temperature and subtracting the factor found in columns 12–13, as the case may be, against this temperature from 60.

The true strength of liquor weaker than 60 U.P. can only be determined at the strength of 61·8 U.P. at 100°F. To obtain the strength of weaker liquor than 61·8 U.P. the liquor must be cooled by artificial means until the 60 line on the stem just becomes visible under the surface of the liquor, the temperature noted and the proper correction made. Liquor of 65 U.P. would have to be cooled down to 81° F. before its strength could be determined.

General Directions for the use of Hydrometers.

(i) When the testing vessel is glass—

Immerse the thermometer in the liquor and, if possible, the hydrometer also. Note the point at which the mercury in the former remains constant, taking the higher degree when it lies between two divisions. Then read, *under* the surface of the liquor, keeping the eye below its level, the division on the stem on the hydrometer which is distinctly below the liquor.

(ii) When the testing vessel is of metal—

Read the thermometer as before. The hydrometer must be read above the liquor and allowance must be made for the meniscus (curvature around the stem), formed by the liquid. This distorts to some extent the line marking the nearest submerged division. If the nearest division above the edge of the meniscus is just clear of it then the next lower division should be taken as the correct one, but if the meniscus actually covers a division the one lower than that must be taken.

2 If in any case there shall be any doubt whether any hydrometer or tables of correction are in accord with the descriptions above given, the matter shall be referred for decision to the Commissioner of Salt, Abkari and Separate Revenue, who shall certify the correctness or otherwise of such hydrometer or tables of correction, as the case may be, in writing under his official signature; and such certificate of the Commissioner shall be binding on all Courts, officers and persons who may be concerned therewith or may have such hydrometer or tables of correction in use.

Board of Revenue (Separate Revenue), Madras, 1st November 1916. E. F. THOMAS, *Secretary.*

OFFICIAL ADVERTISEMENTS.

TENDERS FOR SUPPLY OF TEA.

Sealed offers by letter or telegrams for the supply of Indian grown black tea required to be delivered between the 15th February and 15th April 1917 will be received by the Deputy Assistant Director of Supplies, 9th division, Ootacamund, up to 12 noon on Friday the 15th December 1916.

2. Offers should specify in words as well as in figures the rates at which the tea will be delivered. Fractional parts of pies in rates cannot be accepted. Rates should be quoted at so much per pound or per 100 pounds with full particulars regarding terms of delivery. Offers must be fully signed and dated. Offers by letter should be sent in a sealed or registered cover superscribed (tender for the supply of tea) and addressed to the Deputy Assistant Director of Supplies, 9th division, Ootacamund, and not to any officer by name.

3. Offers will be opened at this office at 12 noon on Friday 15th December 1916. Offers sent by post should be despatched in as to reach this office the day previous to opening of tenders as registered letters are not delivered in Ootacamund before 1–30 p.m.

4. Tenderers are particularly requested to give their address in full and also their telegraphic code address if any. These should also be quoted in all correspondence.

5. Quotations should be for delivery either in Regulation Army boxes (as specified in paragraph 7 or for delivery in ordinary commercial chests) (see paragraph 8), and should also be for delivery (A) for the various quantities specified F.O.R. at the several stations concerned or (B) for the total requirements delivered (1) F.O.R. Madras, (2) at Supply Reserve Depot, Madras. Should any tenderer fail to specify the place of delivery it will be taken to mean that the offer is for delivery at the Supply Depot of each station of requirements.

6 No earnest money is required but the successful tenderer will be required to execute the usual Informal Agreement or Contract Deed on I.A.F.Z-2123 or 2120 and 2121 with or without a security deposit as may be necessary.

7. The following special conditions will be included in the agreement for the supply of tea *in Regulation boxes*:—

"The tea should be equal to the Supply and Transport sample (which can be seen by the tenderer at the Supply Reserve Depot, the Beach, Madras, or at the nearest Supply and Transport Store Depot, i.e., at any one of those named below) and free from undue proportion of dust tea, clean, sweet and not of very poor quality and will have to be passed by an expert as satisfactory for issue to British Troops, and shall be contained in strong serviceable boxes (but not of enamul or cotton wood) lined with sheet lead well secured and in merchantable condition and the lids of the boxes shall be securely nailed down and not screwed. A uniform quantity of 80 lb. tea should be contained in each box which will be oblong in shape and according to the sealed sample which the tenderer can inspect in the Supply Reserve Depot, the Beach, Madras, or in any Supply and Transport Store Depot measuring outside 2' 8" × 1' 1" × 1' 6" and weighing with sheet lead not more than

26 lb. 4 oz. (sheet lead 4 lb. 4 oz. and box about 22 lb.). The total weight of each box with tea is thus not to exceed 76 lb. 4 oz. viz., box with sheet lead should weigh about 26 lb. 4 oz. and tea 50 lb."

Each box should be branded thus:—

Season	..	..	..	..	..	(Correct year to be inserted.)
Indian black tea	..	..	..	..	..	....
Nett weight ..	..	..	..	..	..	50 lb.
Gross weight	..	..	..	..	..	(To be inserted.)
From ..	..	..	..	..	..	(Contractor's name to be entered.)

The weight of each box with lead foil will not be rigidly insisted on but variations in the aggregate weight of the box including lead should not exceed 5 lb., for instance 2 lb. more or 3 lb. less may be accepted. Empty tea chests and lead will become the property of Government.

8. Alternative rates may also be quoted for tea packed in sound and thoroughly serviceable *tea chests of ordinary commercial pattern*, fit for transit by rail, instead of in the Regulation Army boxes above described, but it should be clearly specified in the offer what style of packing is tendered for. These boxes should also be marked as per paragraph 7 above.

9. The approval or rejection of offers rests with the General Officer Commanding, 9th division, who reserves to himself the right of rejecting any offer, or any items in a tender, or a portion thereof, without cause assigned. The lowest tender need not necessarily be accepted. As a rule only successful tenderers are informed by telegram of the result of their offer. No notice can be taken of requests from unsuccessful tenderers for information by telegram unless the cost of such telegram is prepaid.

10. All consignments deliverable free on rails in fulfilment of the contract should be despatched at the *ordinary public tariff rates* and not at the military tariff rates. Further it is not incumbent on contractors to book their supplies to a Government official as has previously been the case.

11. A fair average two pound sample of tea should be sent to this office a week before the tenders are opened.

12. Any further information required can be obtained on application to this office between the hours of 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. (Sundays and holidays excepted).

13. The probable estimated requirements, which however cannot be absolutely guaranteed, are as under:—

SCHEDULE No. 4.

For the first half year of 1917–18.

Stations where required.	First instalment to be delivered on or about 15th February 1917	Second instalment to be delivered on or about 15th April 1917.	Total	Remarks.
Alternative Offer "A"	Lb.	Lb.	Lb.	
Secunderabad (F.O.R. or Supply Depot) ..	24,000	26,000	50,000	
Bangalore (do.) ..	25,000	25,000	50,000	
Madras (do.) ..	9,500	9,500	19,000	
Wellington (do.) ..	6,000	6,000	12,000	
Calicut (do.) ..	350	350	700	
Tirur (F.O.R. or Malappuram Supply Depot) ..	650	650	1,300	Conditions of delivery, etc., should be clearly specified in the offer.
Kalary (F.O.R. or Supply Depot).. ..	1,320	1,320	2,640	
Cannanore (do.) ..	3,000	3,000	6,000	
or				
Alternative Offer "B".				
The whole of the requirements at the Supply Reserve Depot, Madras, or F.O.R., Madras.	70,750	70,750	141,500	

Ootacamund, 27th November 1916.

R. W. NICHOLSON, Lieut.-Col.,
Offg. Dy. Assistant Director of Supplies, 9th Division.

TENDERS FOR SUPPLY OF COFFEE.

SEALED offers by letter or telegram for the supply of coffee in berry required to be delivered between 15th February and 15th April 1917 (at least one-third being delivered before 28th February 1917) will be received by the Deputy Assistant Director of Supplies, 9th Division, Ootacamund, up to 12 noon on Friday the 15th December 1916.

2. Offers should specify in words as well as in figures the rate at which the coffee will be delivered. Fractional parts of pies in rates will not be accepted. Rates should be quoted at so much per 100 lb. or per ton of 2,240 lb. with full particulars regarding terms of delivery. Offers must be fully signed and dated. Offers by letter should be sent in a sealed or registered cover superscribed "Tender for the supply of Coffee" and addressed to the Deputy Assistant Director of Supplies, 9th Division, Ootacamund, and not to any officer by name.

3. Offers will be opened at this office at 12 noon on Friday the 15th December 1916. Offers sent by post should be despatched so as to reach this office the day previous to opening tenders as registered letters are not delivered in this station before 1-30 p.m.

4. Tenderers are particularly requested to give their address in full and also their telegraphic code address if any. These should also be quoted in all correspondence.

5. Quotations may be made (a) for delivery of the various quantities specified free on rails, at the several Railway stations concerned or (b) for delivery of the total requirements (1) F.O.R. Madras or (2) at the Supply Reserve Depot, Madras. Should any tenderer fail to specify the place of delivery it will be taken to mean that the offer is for delivery as usual at the Supply Reserve Depot, the Beach, Madras.

6. No earnest money is required but the successful tenderer will be required to execute the usual Informal Agreement or Contract Deed on I.A.F.Z.-2124 or 2130 and 2131 with or without a security deposit as may be necessary.

7. The approval or rejection of offers rests with the General Officer Commanding, 9th Division, who reserves to himself the right of accepting or rejecting any tender or any items in a tender or a portion thereof without cause assigned. The lowest tender need not necessarily be accepted. As a rule only successful tenderers are informed by telegram the result of their offer. No notice can be taken of requests from unsuccessful tenderers for information by telegram unless the cost of such telegrams is prepaid.

8. The coffee should be delivered in ordinary commercial bags which should be in thoroughly serviceable condition fit for transit by rail or sea. These bags will not be returned to the suppliers but will become the property of Government.

9. Samples of the coffee usually supplied can be inspected at the Supply and Transport Depot of the stations for which supply is required or a small sample can be obtained on direct application to any of the Supply and Transport Officers named below on any day (Sundays and holidays excepted).

10. All consignments deliverable F.O.R. in fulfilment of the contract should be despatched at the ordinary public tariff rates. Further it is no longer incumbent on the contractors to book their supplies to a Government official as has previously been the case.

11. A two-pound sample of the coffee which the tenderers are prepared to supply should be sent to this office free of cost together with their offers.

12. Any further information required can be obtained on application to this office between the hours of 11 a.m. and 2 p.m. (Sundays and holidays excepted).

13. The probable estimated requirements are as under which cannot be absolutely guaranteed.

SCHEDULE No. 3.

Article.	Place at which delivery to be made	Probable estimated requirements.	Remarks.
	Alternative offer "A".	lb.	
Coffee in berry "B" grade or a mixed grades of A, B and C (it should be clearly specified in the offer for what particular grade the offer is made or if the offer is for mixed grades the percentage of each grade the supply will contain should be particularised).	For 2nd (Rawalpindi) Division—		
	Rawalpindi (Officer in charge, Supplies) ..	2,604	
	Sialkote (do.) ..	1,080	
	For 3rd (Lahore) Division—		
	Fort, Lahore (Officer in charge, S.E.D.) ..	5,120	
	For 4th (Quetta) Division—		
	Quetta (Officer in charge, Supplies)	5,120	
	Hyderabad (Non-Commissioned Officer in charge, Supply and Transport) (Sind) ..	320	
	For 5th (Mhow) Division—		
	Jubbulpore (Officer in charge, Supplies) ..	11,240	
	Jhansi (Officer in charge, Supplies)	400	
	For 6th (Poona) Divisional Area—		
	Poona (Officer in charge, Supplies) ..	2,280	
	Belgaum (do.) ..	6,240	
	For 7th (Meerut) Division—		
	Delhi (Warrant Officer in charge, Supply and Transport)	22,000	
	Meerut (Officer in charge, Supplies) ..	40,000	
	Roorkee (Warrant Officer in charge, Supply and Transport)	400	To be delivered between the 15th February 1917 and 15th April 1917 at least one-third being delivered in February 1917.
	Bareilly (Officer in charge, Supplies) ..	320	
	For 8th (Lucknow) Division—		
	Calcutta (Officer in charge, Supplies) ..	5,240	
	For 9th (Secunderabad) Division—		
	Secunderabad (Officer in charge, Supplies) ..	40,080	
	Bangalore (do.) ..	16,000	
	Bellary (do.) ..	7,000	
	Wellington (do.) ..	14,000	
	Madras (Assistant to Officer in charge, Supplies)	8,000	
	Cuddal (Non-Commissioned Officer in charge, Supply and Transport) ..	1,040	
	Cannanore (Warrant Officer in charge, Supply and Transport)	10,000	
	Malappuram (Non-Commissioned Officer in charge, Supply and Transport) ..	1,280	
	For Burma Division—		
	Rangoon (Officer in charge, Supplies) ..	21,320	
	For Bombay Brigade—		
	Deolali (Officer in charge, Supplies) ..	2,320	
	Alternative offer "B".		
	The total quantity delivered (1) F.O.R. Madras or (2) at the Supply Reserve Depot, the Beach, Madras	247,240	

R. W. NICHOLSON,
Offg. Dy. Assistant Director of Supplies, 9th Division.

Cotacamund, 27th November 1918.

AUCTION SALE OF STANDING GROWTH IN THE RESERVED FORESTS OF THE SOUTH ARCOT DISTRICT.

An open sale will be held of the right to clear, fell and remove the entire standing growth in the undermentioned reserved forests of the South Arcot district at 2 p.m. on Friday the 15th December 1916 at the District Forest Office, South Arcot, Cuddalore New Town.

CONDITIONS OF SALE.

1. No person shall bid without depositing Rs. 100 as earnest money for each reserved forest. The bid shall be in a lump sum for the whole area in each reserved forest.

2. The sales will be subject to the confirmation of District Forest Officer, who reserves the right to reject any bid.

3. The earnest deposits of the unsuccessful bidders will be forthwith returned. Those of the highest bidder will be retained and on confirmation of the sale, will be credited towards the amount due. If sale is not confirmed treasury receipt will be given endorsed with order by the District Forest Officer, for repayment by the treasury.

4. From the date of acceptance of receipt of order confirming the sale, the lessee must make his own arrangement for the protection of the growth.

5. Maps showing the reserves for sale can be inspected at the respective Forest Range offices or at the District Forest office, Cuddalore New Town.

6. The successful bidders should within fifteen days from the date of receipt of order confirming the sale lodge one-eighth of the sale amount in the Postal Savings Bank as security deposit in the name of the District Forest Officer for the due fulfilment of the contract and also execute the usual agreement in the prescribed form. The balance amounts should be paid in such instalments as may be fixed by the District Forest Officer within a year.

7. Intending bidders are requested to inspect the areas beforehand.

Serial number and name of reserved forest.	Area in acres.	Yeldah allowed for removal.	Distance from the nearest railway station or taluk headquarters.	Remarks.
Tindivanam Range.				
1. Kumalampatta	1,291	One year ..	Fourteen miles from Tindivanam Railway station.	Four thousand trees are reserved as shade trees. Excludes an area of 67 acres sold for 1916–17.
2. Ammangalam	743	Do. ..	Eight miles from Gingee.	...
3. Kalavai	891	Do. ..	Ten miles from Gingee ..	Excludes an area of 71·93 acres sold for 1916–17.
4. Ankur	1,389	Do. ..	Seven miles from Tindivanam.	...
5 Perukkuppam	714	Do. ..	Do.	...
6 Nanangoor	624	Do. ..	Eleven miles from Villupuram ..	Excludes an area of 140·26 acres sold for 1916–17.
7. Melakondi	489	Do. ..	Two furlongs from Viktavandi ..	One thousand fifty-seven trees are reserved as shade trees.
8. Thadiyanandram ..	787	Do. ..	Twelve miles from Mugaiyur Railway station.	Excludes an area of 176·38 acres sold for 1916–17. Two thousand five hundred trees are reserved as shade trees.
Tirukkoyilur Range.				
1. Swaminatha I, A and B ..	1,744	One year ..	Four miles from Tirukkoyilur Railway station.	Excludes an area of 49·50 acres sold during 1916–17
2. Velandai	845	Do. ..	Do. do.	....
3. Sengarandi	640	Do. ..	Eight miles from Tirukkoyilur Railway station.	....
4 Pandai	915	Do. ..	One and a half miles from Ulundurpet.	Excludes an area of 44 acres sold during 1916–17.
5. Alhpakkam S. (part) ..	2,000	Do. ..	Four miles from Tirukkoyilur.	....
6 Aiyarmalai S. (part)	6,943	Two years ..	Two miles from Elavanasur.	....
Kallakurchi Range.				
1. Krishnapuram S—eastern portion (part)	2,500	One year ..	Twenty-five miles from Vridhachalam.	....
2. Kalagur	1,674	Do. ..	Do. do.	....
3 Varai .. th	775·3	Do. ..	Nine miles from Tyagadurgam.	....

South Arcot Collector's Office, Forest Branch,
17th November 1916.

K. A. CHENGAPPA,
District Forest Officer.

TENDERS FOR CLEARING SILT FROM THE CHANNELS OF THE MODEL SALTERN AND VALLUR FACTORIES FOR 1917-18.

Notice is hereby given that sealed tenders will be received by the Assistant Commissioner of Salt, Abkari and Customs Department, Chingleput sub-division, at the office of the Inspector, Madras Depot Circle, Madras, up to 4 p.m. on 13th December 1916, for the following works of the Ennore Circle for the approximate amounts noted against each :—

		Rs.
(1) (a)	Clearing silt from the channels of the Vallur factory	3,250
(b)	Clearing silt on soundings from certain channels of the Vallur factory	400
(2)	Clearing silt from the boat channels, Model Saltern	1,500
	Total ..	5,150

2. The cover containing the tender should be addressed to the Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput sub-division, care of the Inspector, Madras Depot Circle, Madras, and should be accompanied by a treasury receipt for payment of a deposit of Rs. 200 either at the Madras Depot or at the Voyalur Salt Treasury.

3. The Assistant Commissioner, Chingleput sub-division, reserves to himself the right of rejecting any or all the tenders without assigning any reason, and no reply can be expected by the unsuccessful tenderers.

4. Detailed estimates can be prepared only after the rains are over and may be seen on application either at the Chingleput Sub-division Assistant Commissioner's office or at the Ennore Circle Inspector's office at Voyalur on all working days between the hours of 12 noon and 6 p.m., as soon as they are ready after the rains.

5. The work should on no account be sublet.

6. Tenders which contain conditions of any sort will be rejected.

7. The address of each tenderer should be given in full.

8. The tenderers should, if required, submit satisfactory proofs of their *status, experience* in contract work and good conduct.

9 Tenders should be in the form of a letter written in English with the rates per cubic yard of *dried silt* for the factories at which they are willing to undertake the works and execute them to the satisfaction of the Deputy Commissioner, Central Division, distinctly specified therein. The tenderers will be given to understand that they will be paid on the amount of work *actually done*, the clearance of silt depending on the condition of the channels and not necessarily on the provision made in the estimates. To distinguish new silt from old, straw should be spread over the channel banks before fresh silt is thrown over.

N.B.—Measurements on soundings will be made only in respect of the channels of the Vallur factory specified in the estimate for the purpose.

10. The successful tenderers will be required to execute, within ten days of intimation of acceptance of their tenders, the prescribed agreement which will be prepared in the Ennore Circle office.

11. In default of tenderer's attendance at the office within ten days after despatch of intimation sent to him by post, the amount of Rs. 200 deposited by him will be forfeited to Government.

12. The deposit of the unsuccessful tenderers will be returned as early as possible after the opening of the tenders.

Office of the Asst. Comr. of Salt, Abkari and Customs Dept.,
Chingleput Sub-Dvn., Fort Office Premises,
North Beach Road, Madras,
24th November 1916.

G. E. JOHNSTON,
Assistant Commissioner.

TENDERS FOR CONSTRUCTING MUNICIPAL HOSPITAL, KURNOOL.

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned at his office up to 2 p.m. on 16th December 1916, for constructing new Municipal Hospital, Kurnool. Estimate, Rs. 1,19,660.

2. Tenders should be addressed to the Executive Engineer, Kurnool division, by name and should be superscribed "Tender for constructing Municipal Hospital, Kurnool."

3. Each tender should be accompanied by an earnest money of Rs. 1,700 in cash or currency notes which will be returned to the tenderers whose tenders are not accepted.

4. The Executive Engineer will reserve to himself the right of rejecting all or any of the tenders without assigning any reasons for so doing.

5. As soon as the acceptance of the tender is notified, the successful tenderer will be required to sign an agreement in the proper departmental form for the due fulfilment of the contract.

6. Failure to comply with condition 5 above will entail forfeiture of the earnest money.

7. The contract must not be sublet.

8. Other conditions of contract and the contract documents can be seen at any time between 11 a.m. and 5 p.m. in the Executive Engineer's office from which blank forms of tender can also be obtained.

SCHEDULE OF QUANTITIES TO ACCOMPANY THE TENDER NOTICE FOR CONSTRUCTING NEW MUNICIPAL HOSPITAL AT KURNOOL.

Quantity		Description of work.	For
5,5[illegible]	c.ft.	Earthwork excavating foundations	1,000 c.ft.
87,[illegible]14	"	Filling in basement	"
76,11[illegible]	"	Concrete broken stone in lime mortar	100 c.ft.
83,008	"	Laminated lime stone in mortar for foundation and basement	"
72,136	"	Do for superstructure	"
6,761	"	Slab stone in mud for foundation and basement	"
12,960	"	Do for superstructure	"
[illegible]5	"	Slab stone in lime mortar for superstructure	"
[illegible]17	"	Arch work laminated lime stone in mortar	"
1,1[illegible]8	"	Ferro concrete lintels	C.ft.
865	"	Cut stone work	"
3,[illegible]72	"	Hard string course	R.ft.
21,[illegible]44	"	Levelling 6" bed of concrete	100 sq.ft.
[illegible]08	sq.ft.	Brick nogged partition	"
4,[illegible]79	c.ft.	Teakwood wrought and put up	C.ft.
2[illegible]6	tons.	Hooping and setting gudgeons	Ton.
65	sq.ft.	Weather boarding ½" thick	Sq.ft.
1,302	"	Teakwood doors panelled and ½ glazed including frames and fittings, etc., complete	"
534	"	Teak batten doors including frames and fittings, etc., complete	"
688	"	Teakwood doors panelled including frames and fittings, etc., complete	"
302	"	Teakwood doors single leaf ½ panelled and ½ glazed including frames and fittings, etc., complete.	"
49	"	Teakwood doors fly proof inside batten and braced shutter outside including frames and fittings, etc., complete.	"
52	"	Fitting iron grated doors with counters including frames, fittings, complete.	"
37	"	Fitting iron grated door	"
160	"	Teak windows, glazed, pivoted top and batten including frames, fittings, complete	"
1,[illegible]56	"	Windows, glazed, including teak frames and fittings, complete	"
144	"	Teak windows, battened with iron bars including frames and fittings, etc., complete.	"
220	"	Teakwood windows batten including frames and fittings, etc., complete	"
36	"	Teakwood cup board	"
42	"	Teakwood windows fly proof outside glazed shutters inside including frames and fittings, complete	"
14	"	Ventilators ½" mesh galvanized wire netting including teak frames and fittings etc., complete.	"
512	"	Teak ventilators, glazed, with wire netting including frames and fittings, complete.	"
324	"	Windows V. S. Sash including frames and fittings, etc., complete	"
27,[illegible]63	"	Terrace roofing with brick on edge 3" concrete three courses of flat tiles top and bottom lime plastered	100 s.ft.
2 [illegible]48	"	Roofing with Mangalore tiles over flat tiles imbedded in lime mortar	"
3,[illegible]47	"	Paving with cuddapah slabs over 1" lime mortar and pointed with cement.	"
1,[illegible]96	"	Paving with Cuddapah slabs over 1" mortar and pointed with cement (cement being supplied departmentally).	"
250	"	Gravelling 3" thick	"
4,[illegible]00	"	Plastering with ½" cement and pointed with two coats of portpan (cement and paint being supplied departmentally).	"
2 [illegible]08	"	Rendering with ½" Portland cement plaster (cement being supplied departmentally).	"
8,[illegible]53	"	Plastering with two coats of lime mortar	100 sq.ft.
112 [illegible]31	"	Painting with prepared mortar	"
8 [illegible]72	"	Painting with portpan over cement plaster (labour only)	"
12,[illegible]56	"	Painting three coats (labour only)	"
21,[illegible]56	"	Painting two coats (do.)	"
823	"	Paving with white marble over 1" lime mortar and pointing with cement (labour only).	"
1,[illegible]71	"	White glazed tile dado set in cement (labour only)	"
[illegible]69	r.ft.	Weathering course	"
2,[illegible]20	sq.ft.	Ferro concrete chajja including mouldings, etc., complete	"
[illegible]7	cwt.	Fitting iron work spandits	Cwt.
616	sq.ft.	Fixing corrugated iron sheets including battens, bolts, rivets, ridging, etc., complete.	Sq.ft.
1	No.	Teakwood trap door for cistern for latrine	Each.
1	"	Finishing the interior of chimney with plaster, two coats, and whitewashing, complete.	L.S.
2	"	Constructing smoking range with masonry pot oven, etc., complete	"
1	"	Founding sinks	"

Kurnool, 25th November 1916.

P. V. GEORGE,
Executive Engineer, Kurnool Division.

CONTRACT FOR MAKING UP CLOTHING.

Notice is hereby given that the Inspector-General of Police, Madras, is prepared to receive tenders up to 10th January 1917 for making clothing for the use of the Police Department, Madras, for four years commencing from the 1st February 1917.

Conditions under which contracts will be given, with the list of garments to be made up can be had on application to the office of the Inspector-General of Police, Madras.

Chief Office, Madras,
21st November 1916.

J. T. W. FILSON,
Assistant Inspector-General of Police.

AUCTION SALE OF BUILDING MATERIALS AT SAIDAPET.

Notice is hereby given that the materials of the building known as record rooms of the Collector's office at Saidapet will be offered for sale by public auction at the premises on Friday the 26th day of January 1917 commencing at 3-30 p.m. subject to the following conditions :—

(1) The materials sold will consist of all those in the roof and walls of the building up to floor level. The floor and the materials below floor level are not included in the sale.

(2) Persons wishing to bid should, before the commencement of sale, deposit a sum of Rs. 50 which will be returned to unsuccessful bidders at the end of the sale.

(3) The sale will be subject to confirmation by the Executive Engineer, Chingleput Division. The successful bidder should further deposit half the amount of the purchase money, failing which, the amount deposited by him at the commencement of the sale will be forfeited to Government and the materials of the record rooms of Collector's office at Saidapet will be resold at his risk and any loss arising on the resale will be recovered from him. He will be liable for any loss that may be incurred by the resale, but will not be entitled to the profits, if any. The amounts deposited will be returned to the successful bidder if the sale is not approved by the said Executive Engineer.

(4) The confirmation or otherwise of the sale will be communicated by the said Executive Engineer to the successful bidder within ten days of the sale and he should, within a week of such communication, pay the balance of the purchase money and a further sum of Rs. 100 which will be returned to him on the fulfilment of the following conditions. The said record rooms of Collector's office at Saidapet shall be demolished up to basement level and all materials shall be removed from the site at the cost of the bidder within three months from the date on which the said buildings are put into his possession by the Sub-Divisional Officer, Saint Thomas' Mount, and the place cleared of all rubbish and possession of land given back to the Sub-Divisional Officer, for the time being, of Saint Thomas' Mount. If any materials of the buildings are not removed within the said period of three months the same shall be forfeited to Government. If the balance of purchase money is not paid within the prescribed time, the property will be resold at the risk of the purchaser and the loss incurred by such resale will be recovered from the amounts deposited by him.

R. A. SRINIVASA AYYANGAR,
Executive Engineer, Chingleput Division.

Madras, 23rd November 1916.

TENDERS FOR THE SUPPLY OF PITH HATS.

Sealed tenders are invited for the supply of 40,000 strong and thick pith hats, quite equal to the approved pattern a sample of which is available for inspection at the factory on week days between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m. Tenders will be accepted by the Superintendent up to noon on Tuesday the 12th December 1916.

2. Tenders should be submitted on India Army Forms Z 2120, 2121 and 2122 copies of which are obtainable from the factory on payment at the rate of Re. 1 per set on application in writing.

3. Tenders should be accompanied by a $\frac{\text{Presidency Bank}}{\text{Treasury}}$ receipt for Rs. 50 as earnest money; also a sealed sample hat which must be properly ticketted with the name of the tenderer noted thereon.

4. The use of paper to be restricted to the extent absolutely necessary in the manufacture of the pith shape and paper must not be used for increasing the thickness of the pith.

5. To ensure uniformity in the shade of the pith hat cover, drill khaki local required for the purpose will be supplied from the factory on *payment* at stock book rate, viz., six annas, per yard and the tenderer should therefore base his quotation on this understanding.

6. The rates tendered must be for free delivery at the factory.

7. The date by which the tenderer can guarantee full delivery as also the number which can easily be delivered monthly must be stated in the tender.

8. The supplies must be in strict accordance with the sample submitted by the tenderer should it be approved and orders placed with him.

9. The successful tenderer will have to lodge a security deposit, for the due fulfilment of the contract, calculated at 5 per cent on the value of the contract.

10. Tenders must be submitted under a strong cover securely fastened, sealed and conspicuously marked "Tender for the supply of pith hats" and addressed to the Superintendent, Army Clothing factory, Madras, and not to any officer by name.

11. Tenders not complying with any of the above conditions will be rejected.

12. Tenderers are invited to be present when the tenders are opened, viz., at 12 noon on Tuesday the 12th December 1916.

13. The lowest tender will not of necessity be accepted.

W. H. BOWDEN, Major,
Superintendent, Army Clothing Factory.

Madras, 1st December 1916.

RECOVERY OF WRECKS

Notice is hereby given, under section 78 of Act VII of 1880, that the undermentioned property has been salvaged within the limits of the port of Madras, and claimants should submit their claim within a week's time from the date of the circular and remove the articles claimed within the close of the month on payment of the salvage charge. Should they fail, the articles will be sold in the following month by the order of the Engineer, Port Trust, Madras.

Description of articles.	Mark.	Date of recovery.	Place of recovery.
One teakwood spar	Crown over R.	1916, 29th November ..	Within Madras harbour.
Two spars not bore for sale	Nil	1st December ..	
One wooden sleeper, 6'	"	1st " ..	
One wooden sleeper, 5	"	1st " ..	
Five jungle wood planks	"	1st " ..	
Two bundles jungle wood and Hoops	"	1st " ..	
Two teakwood scantlings	"	1st " ..	
One Ingli Rail	"	1st " ..	

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AGENTS IN EUROPE.

Messrs. Constable & Co., 10, Orange Street, Leicester Square, London, W.C.
Messrs. Grindlay & Co., 54, Parliament Street, London, S.W.
Messrs. Henry S. King & Co., 65, Cornhill, London, E.C.
Messrs. P. S. King and Son, 2 & 4, Great Smith Street, Westminster, London, S.W.
Messrs. Kegan Paul, Trench Trübner & Co., Ltd., 68–74, Carter Lane, London, E.C., 25, Museum Street, London, W.C.
F. Norman, 11, Grafton Street, New Bond Street, London, W.
Messrs. W. Thacker & Co., 2, Creed Lane, London, E.C.
Mr. B. H. Blackwell, 50 & 51, Broad Street, Oxford.
Messrs. Deighton, Bell & Co., Ltd., Cambridge.
Mr. Ernest Leroux, 28, Rue Bonaparte, Paris.
Mr. Martinus Nijhoff, The Hague, Holland.
Messrs. Luzac & Co., 46, Great Russell Street, London, W.C.
Mr. T. Fisher Unwin, No. 1, Adelphi Terrace, London, W.C.
Messrs. Oliver and Boyd, Tweeddale Court, Edinburgh.
Messrs. E. Ponsonby, Ltd., 116, Grafton Street, Dublin.

List Catalogue of all Madras Government Publications available for sale may be obtained gratis from the Government Press, Mint Buildings, or at Moore's No. 1, Madras.

[*The amounts within parentheses are for packing and postage.*]

The following publications, damaged but complete, are for sale at half price at the Government Branch Press, Mount Road, S.C.—

Ulcerhantiasis and Allied Disorders (by John Scotland, M.B.). Royal 8vo, cloth, lettered. As. 8 (2 as.)

Materia Medica of Madras (by Mohideen Sheriff Khan Bahadur). Royal 8vo, cloth, lettered. As. 12. (2 as.)

Manual of Land Systems of British India, Vol. III (by B. H. Baden-Powell, I.C.S.). Demy 8vo, half bound leather and calico. Rs. 5. (8 as.) (For sale to Government officials only.)

List of Books published during the current quarter.

The Book of the Madras Exhibition, 1915–16. Royal Octavo, cloth. Rs. 3 (8 as. 6 p.)

PUBLIC DEPARTMENT.

Records of Fort St. George.—Diary and Consultation Book of 1688. Foolscap folio, board. Rs. 2–4 (5 as. 6 p.); wrapper, Rs. 2–4 (4 as. 6 p.)

Quarterly Civil List for Madras, corrected up to 1st October 1916. Royal 8vo., wrapper. Re. 1. (4 as.)

Quarterly Civil Medical List, corrected up to 30th September 1916. Royal 8vo., wrapper. As. 12 (2 as.)

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APPLICATIONS are invited from qualified typists whose vernacular is Tamil for a typist's post (Rs. 20—1—25) vacant in this office. The vacancy is at present acting but is likely to become permanent.

F. L. MULLALY,
District Supt. of Police, Chingleput district.

St. Thomas' Mount, 10th November 1916.

APPLICATIONS are invited from qualified accountants and auditors for auditing the Official Receiver's accounts for the years 1915 and 1916. The applications should reach this Court on or before the 11th December 1916. The applicants should state in their applications the fees that they claim for the said work.

K. SRINIVASA RAO,
District Judge.

District Court, Guntur,
14th November 1916.

WANTED a third shift Engineer for the Divi Pumping station at Avanigadda. Pay Rs. 120, rising to Rs. 150.

2. Men with experience of working Diesel engines and also mechanical engineering will be preferred.

3. Apply by letter with copies of certificates to the Superintending Engineer, II Circle, Bezwada, Kistna district.

J. E. LUTMAN,
Superintending Engineer, II Circle.

Bezwada, 15th November 1916.

The offices of all the five membership of the Temple Committee, Guntur taluk, are now vacant. Applications are invited for the said offices from persons duly qualified under section 3 of the Religious Endowments Act XX of 1863. The applications should reach this Court on or before the 15th January 1917.

K. SRINIVASA RAO,
District Judge.

District Court, Guntur,
22nd November 1916.

APPLICATIONS are invited from passed Muhammadan candidates for permanent and acting posts of Clerks on Rs. 20 and Rs. 25 in this division.

2. None but those possessing at least the Secondary School Leaving Certificate need apply.

3. Applications should reach the undersigned on or before the 15th December next.

T. J. TASKER,
Sub-Collector.

Sub-Collector's Office, Penukonda,
23rd November 1916.

APPLICATIONS are invited from candidates who have passed the Lower Subordinate Test of the College of Engineering, Madras, for the posts of three Sub-Overseers, eighth grade, on Rs. 30 each permanently taken vacant in this circle. None but those who have passed the above test need apply.

Applications should reach the office of the Superintending Engineer, III Circle, Bellary, not later than the 5th January 1917.

L. D. VENKATARAMA AYYAR,
Superintending Engineer, III Circle.

Bellary, 27th November 1916.

APPLICATIONS are invited from duly qualified candidates for the post of the Forest Range Clerk on Rs. 20 per mensem, which is likely to fall permanently vacant. Candidates who have worked as Range Clerks will be preferred.

Applications stating age and educational qualifications should be submitted so as to reach the undersigned not later than the 15th December 1916.

E. C. M. MASCARENHAS,
District Forest Officer.

South Salem, 27th November 1916.

APPLICATIONS are invited for the post of Manager of the District Board Engineer's Office, Tanjore, carrying a salary of Rs. 75—2½—100. The appointment is pensionable. None but those who have passed the Account Test (Lower) and Translation (Lower) and who possess a thorough knowledge of accounts of the District Board Engineer's Office need apply.

2. Applications should be submitted with testimonials in original so as to reach the President not later than 31st December 1916.

J. R. HUGGINS,
President.

District Board's Office, Tanjore,
1st December 1916.

Applications are invited for the post of a permanent Minor Irrigation Sub-Overseer on Rs 30—2—60 in this district from candidates who have passed the Lower Subordinate Test of the Civil Engineering College, Madras, or the required Government Technical Examinations in the Intermediate Grade.

None but qualified men need apply.

Persons who are already in service should submit their applications through the proper channel, otherwise their applications will not be considered.

Applications should reach the undersigned before the 16th January 1917.

Kurnool Collector's Office,
1st December 1916.

H. G. STOKES,
Collector.

PRIVATE ADVERTISEMENTS.

On or after the 9th December 1916, I intend moving the High Court to enrol me as a Vakil thereof.
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On or after the 5th December 1916, I intend moving the High Court to enrol me as a Vakil thereof.
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On or after 23rd December 1916, I intend moving the High Court to enrol me as a Vakil thereof.
Madras, 23rd November 1916. A. N. KRISHNAIYANGAR.

On or after 4th January 1917, I intend moving the High Court to enrol me as a Vakil thereof.
Madras, 23rd November 1916. B. POCKER.

On or after 1st January 1917, I intend moving the High Court to enrol me as a Vakil thereof.
Ellore, 24th November 1916. T. PANAKALA RAO.

I intend moving the High Court to enrol me as a Vakil thereof.
Madras, 26th November 1916. R. SWAMINATHA AYYAR.

I intend moving the High Court to enrol me as a Vakil thereof.
Mylapore, 26th November 1916. K. S. VENKATARAMAN.

On or after 3rd January 1917, I intend moving the High Court to enrol me as a Vakil thereof.
Triplicane (Madras), 27th November 1916. C. V. SUBRAHMANYAM.

On or after 3rd January 1917, I intend moving the High Court to enrol me as a Vakil thereof.
Madura, 27th November 1916. M. APPASWAMI.

On or after 10th January 1917, I intend moving the High Court to enrol me as a Vakil thereof.
Rajahmundry, 29th November 1916. M. NARAYANAMURTI.

On or after 11th January 1917, I intend moving the High Court to enrol me as a Vakil thereof.
Triplicane, 4th December 1916. V. KRISHNAMA ACHARI.

(IN MODIFICATION OF ALL PREVIOUS NOTICES.)

UNDER THE ENEMY TRADING ORDINANCE 1916 AND THE ENEMY TRADING (WINDING UP) ORDER 1916.

HENKE'S TILE WORKS, FEROKE, A.G.

Sale by Sealed Tender.

The Custodian of Enemy Property, Madras, will sell the right, title and interest of Henke's Tile Works, Feroke, A.G., in the land, buildings, plants, machinery, stocks, book and other debts and premises known as and appertaining to Henke's Tile Works as now carried on at Feroke (Malabar) and Bangalore, Madras and Coconada.

Sealed tenders for the purchase of the same will be received by the custodian at his offices in the High Court Buildings, Madras, up to 12 noon on Tuesday the 2nd January 1917.

Particulars and conditions of sale with form of tender can be obtained by application to the Custodian of Enemy Property, Madras, at his aforesaid offices.

No tender will be considered unless it is in the aforesaid form

Orders to inspect the property may be obtained from the Custodian of Enemy Property at his aforesaid offices at Madras

C. E. ODGERS,
Official Trustee of Madras and Custodian of Enemy Property for the Presidency of Madras and the Province of Coorg.

Official Trustee's Office, High Court House, Madras, 2nd November 1916.

ESTATE OF Mr. RICHARD BLACK (DECEASED).

Notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having claims against the Estate of Richard Black late of Coory in the District of Anantapur in the Presidency of Madras, a driver in the Locomotive Department of the Madras and Southern Mahratta Railway Company, Limited, who died at Coory aforesaid, on or about the 5th day of March 1916, are required to send particulars, in writing, of their claims or demands to the undersigned on or before the 12th day of December 1916, at the undermentioned address, after which date the Administrator of the said estate will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice and the said Administrator will not be liable for the assets of the said Richard Black (deceased) or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.

High Court House Madras,
9th November 1916.

HENRY BRIGHTWELL,
Administrator of the Estate of Richard Black (deceased).

ESTATE OF COLONEL THOMAS JAMES COTTON (DECEASED)

Notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having claims against the estate of Thomas James Cotton, late of 25 Sheffield Terrace Campden Hill in the County of Middlesex, formerly of 2 Army and Navy Mansions, Westminster, in the said County, a Colonel in His Majesty's Indian Staff Corps, who died at 25 Sheffield Terrace aforesaid on or about the 12th day of June 1916, are required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to the undersigned on or before the 15th day of December 1916 at the undermentioned address after which date the Administrator of the said estate will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice and the said Administrator will not be liable for the assets of the said Thomas James Cotton, deceased, or any part thereof so distributed, to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.

No. 7, Armenian Street, Madras,
21th November 1916.

H. N. C. CAMPBELL,
Administrator of the estate.

ESTATE OF Mr. JOHN MATHESON (DECEASED).

The Administrator of the estate and effects throughout the whole of British India of John Matheson, late of 18, St. Catharine's Place, Edinburgh, and formerly of the Bank of Madras but now deceased who died at Edinburgh aforesaid on or about the 31st day of March 1916 being about to close the accounts of the deceased's estate, notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having claims or demands against the said estate are required to send particulars in writing of their claims or demands to the undersigned on or before the 19th day of December 1916 at the undermentioned address after which date the said Administrator will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased amongst the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims and demands of which he shall then have had notice and the said Administrator will not be liable for the assets of the said John Matheson (deceased) or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claims or demands he shall not then have had notice.

High Court House, Madras,
15th November 1916.

BRIGHTWELL & MORESBY,
Solicitors to the Administrator of the estate of John Matheson (deceased)

LOST.

The Government Promissory Notes Nos. M 013648 for Rs. 5,000 and M 023258 for Rs. 500 of the 3½ per cent loan of 1865 originally standing in the name of the Administrator-General of Madras and the Official Trustee, Madras, respectively and last endorsed to Gladys K. M. Syms, the proprietor by [illegible] at the share notes and the interest thereupon have been stopped at the Public Debt Office, Bank of Bengal, Calcutta, and that application is about to be made for the issue of duplicates in favour of the proprietor. The public are cautioned against purchasing or otherwise dealing with the above-mentioned securities.

Name of proprietor—Gladys Filson Margaret Syms.
Residence—16-18 Menezes Lane, Purasawalkam.

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SUPPLEMENT TO PART II

OF

THE FORT ST. GEORGE GAZETTE.

No. 49.] MADRAS, TUESDAY EVENING, DECEMBER 5, 1916. [Price, 6 *pies.*

MADRAS PORT TRUST

MINUTES OF A BOARD MEETING, No. 17 OF 1916-17, HELD ON THE 17TH NOVEMBER 1916.

PRESENT:

The Hon'ble Sir Francis J. E. Spring, K.C.I.E., *Chairman.*

Mr. P. Eccles, B.A., I.C.S.
Mr. A. Muirhead, C.I.E.
Mr. R. Todd.
The Hon'ble Mr. G. Fraser.
Mr. J. F. Simpson.
Mr. A. P. Symonds.
Mr. H. P. M. Rao.
Mr. J. H. Thonger
M.R Ry. Rao Sahib C. Ramanujam Chetti Garu.
M.R.Ry. Rao Bahadur P. Thangaraya Chetti Garu, B.A.
M.R.Ry. C. Gopal Menon Avargal.

244 Read, approved and recorded the minutes of the proceedings of the previous meeting held on Friday the 10th November 1916.

245 Read again Port Trust Board Resolution No 84, dated the 25th May 1916, recording Government Order No. 135, Marine, dated the 27th April 1916, approving of the Port Trust Board's proposals, because of war conditions, to levy certain supertaxes at the rate of 20 per cent on goods and 50 per cent on shipping

Read a note by the Chairman, dated the 16th November 1916, explaining that, in the last three years, because of the large reduction in the number of vessels visiting the port, receipts under the head "Pilotage charges" had been steadily falling so that the pilotage fund balances had been unduly reduced.

Resolved, subject to the sanction of Government, to impose a supertax of 50 per cent on pilotage dues with effect from the 1st of January 1917 and until further notice.

246 Read an application by the Trust's Traffic Manager Mr. W. W. Robinson, dated the 15th November 1916, supported by the Chairman, for three months' privilege leave from such date as he can be spared in January 1917, and proposing certain arrangements for the conduct of the work during his absence.

Resolved that, subject to the sanction of Government which is necessary under section 30 of the Madras Port Trust Act, the leave be granted.

Resolved also that the following arrangements be approved for the carrying on of work during Mr. Robinson's absence:

Mr. J. G. Lord, Assistant Traffic Manager, to act as Traffic Manager.
Mr. F. W. Stocks, Senior Wharf Superintendent, to act as Assistant Traffic Manager.

247. Read again Port Trust Board Resolution No. 185, dated the 29th September 1916, refusing to admit Mr. J. A. M. Stirling to the benefits of rule 14 (5) of the Port Trust Provident Fund.

Read an appeal from Mr. Stirling, dated the 7th October 1916, against the above decision, as well as a reference to Government by the Chairman, No. G. 1369, dated the 20th October 1916, and Government order thereon, No. 324, Public (Marine), dated the 15th November 1916

Resolved that Mr. Stirling be told that the Board must adhere to the terms of their Resolution No. 185, dated the 29th September 1916.

248. Read a note by the Traffic Manager, supported by the Chairman, recommending that, for reasons given, the services of tally checker No. 231 in the Trust's schedule of staff for 1916-17, should be dispensed with

Resolved that the Traffic Manager be authorised to give the tally checker in question a month's notice that his services will be dispensed with

249. The following statement, comparing harbour dues collected in and up to the end of October 1916 with those for the corresponding period of the previous two years, was ordered to be recorded:

Statement showing the amount of dues collected during the month of October 1916

	1914.	1915.	1916.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
I. Harbour receipts—			
(i) Dues on imports	37,554 7 2	47,696 14 8	36,620 12 0
(ii) Dues on exports	11,306 4 0	18,768 14 0	11,910 13 0
(iii) Transit dues imports ..	1,479 1 0	5,038 4 0	13,788 11 0
(iv) Storage exports	445 5 0	81 0 0	258 6 0
(v) Rent for storage space ..	1,100 8 0	945 8 8	1,740 14 0
(vi) Harbour terminal charges ..	5 581 5 0	5,314 2 8	4,628 11 0
(vii) Cranage	8,350 10 0	12,064 14 0	5,707 14 0
(viii) Porterage, special .. .	231 5 0	269 10 5	459 11 4
(ix) Demurrage	321 8 0	123 7 0	103 8 4
(x) Hire of harbour wagons ..	....	1,276 2 0	443 0 0
II. Rents, fees and penalties—			
(i) Rents of properties	1,925 12 10	2,447 11 10	7,858 0 0
(ii) Overtime fees	1,122 0 0	2,614 0 0	1,435 0 0
(iii) Passenger tolls .. .	1,491 3 8	2,276 11 9	2,894 14 6
(iv) Fines and penalties .. .	0 4 0	45 1 0	569 1 0
(v) Railway rents	....	.. .	....
III. Sales—			
(i) Water sold to boats	1,047 3 2	1,552 5 0	1,036 6 6
(ii) Do. to works	1,092 1 7	386 14 6	397 3 2
(iii) Sale of unclaimed goods ..	2,384 11 6	1,823 6 0	....
(iv) Other sales	....	....	....
IV. Contributions to Revenue—			
(i) From Port Funds	....	....	....
(ii) From Government	....	....	....
V. Interest—			
(i) Interest on investments ..	....	....	....
VI. Miscellaneous—			
(i) Profit on investments	....	....	..
(ii) Commission on Corporation timber Licence fees	104 9 0	173 14 0	196 3 6
VII. Items awaiting adjustment	76 0 0	....	.. ..
Total ..	75,801 9 11	1,03,431 8 4	89,413 4 1

	Actuals of 1914-1915.	Actuals of 1915-1916.	Actuals of 1916-1917.	Increase or decrease for the last two years.
	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.	Rs. A. P.
April ..	1,18,879 10 4	74,350 3 4	74,323 7 11	— 82 11 5
May ..	1,31,694 15 0	84,555 1 0	82,955 6 10	— 1,599 10 2
June ..	1,24,251 5 10	82,992 14 3	1,04,056 5 5	+ 21,063 7 2
July ..	1,44,786 5 7	1,20,052 8 6	99,334 11 7	— 20,717 12 11
August ..	99,351 9 6	1,09,163 1 6	1,28,683 6 6	+ 19,520 2 1
September ..	85,509 5 6	1,07,547 2 3	1,29,237 15 0	+ 21,690 12 11
October ..	75,604 9 11	1,03,431 8 4	89,413 4 1	— 14,018 2 3
Total ..	7,68,059 15 2	6,82,098 4 11	7,09,834 8 4	+ 16,908 1 5

250. Recorded a *nil* statement of estimates sanctioned since the 10th November 1916.

251. Recorded the report and accounts of the Singapore Harbour Board for the half-year ending 30th June 1916.

252. Securities and cash held by the Bank of Madras, for the Madras Port Trust on the 16th day of November 1916 were ordered to be recorded as follows:—

	Government securities.	Cash balances
	Rs.	Rs. A. P.
Reserve Account	*Nil*	31,936 5 7
Provident Fund Account	2,72,000	5,513 9 2
Import Fund Account	17,700	1,897 10 0
Bibee Sailors' Home Charity Account ..	57,500	7,592 12 6
Disabled Boatmen's Fund Account . .	36,500	1,158 5 1
Pilotage Fund Account	56,400	287 5 7
Harbour Dues Advance Account .. .	*Ditto.*	33,883 3 5
Railway Freight	*Ditto.*	3,092 3 0

Port Trust Office, Madras,
1st December 1916.

F. J. E. SPRING,
Chairman, Madras Port Trust.

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METEOROLOGICAL RESULTS.

FROM THE MADRAS OBSERVATORY REGISTER.

1916.	Barometer reduced to 32°.	Thermometers. Corrected Daily Means. Dry.	Wet.	Observed Extremes. Max.	Min.	Solar Heat in Vacuo. Maximum.	Humidity.	Wind. Prevailing direction.	Daily velocity.	Depth of rain.	Cloudy sky	Bright sunshine.	General weather.
November.	Inches.	°	°	°	°	°	Cts.		Miles	Inches	Cts	Hrs.	
27th Mon.	29·882	76·0	74·8	86·3	72·3	148·1	85	N.N.E.	130	0·03	35	7·1	Passing showers.
28th Tues. ..	·942	76·7	75·0	84·8	73·8	152·7	83	N.N.E.	161	0·09	63	8·1	Do
29th Wed. ..	·910	72·3	74·0	85·8	71·8	151·7	77	N.N.E.	187	..	24	7·6	Fine.
30th Thurs. ..	·858	78·3	76·3	85·8	72·9	150·7	69	N.E. by N.	158	0·05	50	8·3	Passing showers.
December.													
1st Fri. .	·915	79·0	76·2	86·0	73·5	147·7	81	N.N.E.	167	..	51	8·7	Passing clouds.
2nd Sat. .	·904	78·7	75·9	86·8	73·1	146·6	85	N.E.	139	1·22	68	5·4	Passing showers.
3rd Sun. ..	·930	77·1	73·2	84·0	73·5	134·1	90	N.E.	119	1·87	85	2·8	Do.

The Standard Barometer and Thermometers are read at 8 a.m., 10 a.m., 4 p.m. and 8 p.m., and the daily means are obtained by the application of hourly corrections, deduced from twenty years' observations. The cistern of the Barometer is twenty two feet above the level of the sea, and the receiver of the Rain Gauge is two feet from the ground. The wind, rain and general weather registered are for the current Civil Day—*from* midnight to midnight.

The total quantity of rain collected since January 1st is 15·15 inches, the average due for the same period being 44·90 inches.

ABSTRACT of the MEAN METEOROLOGICAL CONDITION of MADRAS in November 1916 compared with the average of past years.

Mean values of	1916.	Difference from	Average.
Reduced atmospheric pressure	29·801	0·045 below	29·846
Temperature of air	78·0	1·3 above	77·3
Do. of evaporation	75·3	2·4 „	72·9
Percentage of humidity	84	8 „	76
Greatest solar heat in excess	144·1	6·7 „	137·4
Maximum in shade	85·5	0·4 below	85·9
Minimum in shade	76·7	1·4 above	72·3
Do. on grass	72·3	2·6 „	69·5
Rainfall in inches on 18 days	14·17	0·96 „	13·21
Do. since January 1st on 84 days	42·56	1·18 below	43·74
General direction of wind	E. by N.	5 points E.	N. N. E.
Daily velocity in miles	130	26 below	155
Percentage of cloudy sky	49	10 „	59
Do. of bright sunshine	45·0	2·7 „	47·7

DURATION and QUANTITY of the WIND from different points.

From	Hours.	Miles.	From	Hours.	Miles.	From	Hours.	Miles.	From	Hours.	Miles.
North.	5*	434	East.	36	151	South.	14	87	West.	1	3
N. by E.	48	276	E. by S.	8	47	S. by W.	30	176	W. by N.	..	..
N.N.E.	88	432	E.S.E.	1	9	S.S.W.	4	27	W.N.W.	..	..
N.E. by N.	54	300	S.E. by E.	46	176	S.W. by S.	8	37	N.W. by W.	..	..
N.E.	58	297	S.E.	15	87	S.W.	1	10	N.W.	4	20
N.E. by E.	42	271	S.E. by S.	8	74	S.W. by W.	2	8	N.W. by N.	3	9
E.N.E.	37	130	S.S.E.	26	221	W.S.W.	4	25	N.N.W.	4	39
E. by N.	41	119	S. by E.	31	204	W. by S.	6	39	N. by W.	33	238

There were 24 calm hours during the month. The resultant corresponding to the above numbers is represented by a N.E. wind, blowing with a uniform daily velocity of 66 miles.

Madras Observatory, 4th December 1916.

R. LL. JONES,
Deputy Director.

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ABSTRACT OF SEASON REPORTS FOR THE WEEK ENDING 2ND DECEMBER 1916.

DISTRICT REPORTS

GANJAM.

Water-supply sufficient. Russelkonda and Serada reservoirs 25·6 feet and 27·9 feet deep respectively. Sowings of horsegram concluding and of greengram and ragi commencing in parts. Standing crops fair. Harvested paddy, groundnut and redgram; outturn fair. Pasture sufficient. Fodder available. Condition of cattle generally good. Employment available. Grain-stocks sufficient. Prospects fair.

VIZAGAPATAM.

Water-supply generally sufficient. Sowing of ragi and greengram commencing and of horsegram concluding. Transplantation of tobacco proceeding and of chillies concluding. Standing crops thriving. Harvested sugarcane, paddy, cotton, cholam, greengram, blackgram, groundnut and jute; outturn fair. Pasture generally sufficient. Fodder generally available. Condition of cattle generally good. Employment available. Grain-stocks generally sufficient. Prospects generally fair.

GODAVARI.

Water-supply sufficient. Godavari 2·3 feet above anaikat. Ploughing; sowing of pulses, transplantation of chillies and tobacco proceeding. Standing crops good. Harvested chillies, outturn poor; cholam, samai, cumbu, ragi and pulses fair; paddy fair to normal; sugarcane, castor and hemp normal. Pasture sufficient; fodder available except in parts. Condition of cattle good but disease (not specified) prevails in one division. Employment available. Grain stocks sufficient. Prospects fair.

KISTNA.

Water-supply sufficient. Kistna 3·4 feet above anaikat. Ploughing; sowing of hemp commencing, raising of onions, chillies and garlic concluding. Standing crops fair. Harvested paddy; outturn fair. Pasture sufficient. Fodder available. Condition of cattle generally good. Employment available. Grain-stocks sufficient. Prospects fair.

GUNTUR.

Water-supply sufficient. Sowing of varigu (common millet) and other late crops, and transplantation of tobacco proceeding. Standing crops generally fair but affected by floods and heavy rains in parts of six taluks. Harvested paddy, outturn fair to normal; indigo poor to normal. Pasture sufficient; fodder available. Condition of cattle generally good but rinderpest and malignant sorethroat prevail in parts of five taluks. Employment available. Grain-stocks sufficient. Prospects fair.

KURNOOL.

Water-supply sufficient except in the Koreasl-Cuddapah canal. Tungabhadra 1·2 feet above anaikat. Sowing of horsegram, bengalgram and wheat proceeding in parts. Standing crops fair. Harvested varagu, cholam, korra, paddy and indigo; outturn fair. Pasture sufficient; fodder available. Condition of cattle generally good but disease (not specified) prevails in parts of two taluks. Employment available. Grain-stocks sufficient. Prospects fair.

BANGANAPALLE.

Water-supply sufficient. Sowing of bengalgram, kusuma and wheat proceeding. Standing crops good. Harvested korra and cholam. Outturn normal. Pasture sufficient; fodder available. Condition of cattle good. Employment available. Grain-stocks sufficient. Prospects fair.

BELLARY.

Water-supply sufficient. Sowing of wheat, cholam and bengalgram proceeding and weeding of paddy, cotton, cholam, indigo and korra proceeding. Standing crops fair; but damaged in parts by heavy rains of previous weeks. Harvested korra, cumbu, cholam and ragi, jonnam poor to fair; cotton, indigo and paddy fair. Pasture sufficient. Fodder available. Condition of cattle good, but rinderpest and foot and mouth disease prevail in parts. Employment available. Grain-stocks sufficient. Prospects fair.

SANDUR.

Water-supply sufficient. Weeding of betel proceeding. Standing betel crop good, but cholam, cumbu and korra slightly damaged by excessive rain. Harvested cholam, cutturn fair, korra, cumbu and ragi poor. Pasture sufficient. Fodder available. Condition of cattle good, but foot and mouth disease prevails in two villages. Employment available. Grain-stocks sufficient. Prospects fair.

ANANTAPUR.

Water-supply sufficient except in parts. Ploughing; sowing of paddy, ragi, cholam, cotton and horsegram and weeding of paddy proceeding in parts. Standing crops generally fair. Harvested paddy; cutturn fair. Pasture sufficient; fodder available. Condition of cattle generally good. Employment available. Grain-stocks sufficient. Prospects good.

CUDDAPAH.

Water-supply sufficient. Ploughing; sowing of paddy, ragi, horsegram, varigu and bengalgram and transplantation and weeding of paddy proceeding in parts. Standing crops fair. Harvested paddy, indigo and groundnut; cutturn fair to normal; korra, cumbu and arika, poor to normal. Pasture sufficient; fodder available except in parts of one taluk. Condition of cattle generally good, but rinderpest is sporadic in parts of four taluks. Employment available. Grain-stocks sufficient. Prospects not reported.

NELLORE.

Water-supply sufficient. Slight freshes in rivers. The maximum depth of water over the Nellore and Sangam anaikats during the week was 3·2 feet and 1·6 feet respectively. The supply in the Kamguri reservoir adequate. Ploughing; sowing of paddy, cholam and ragi and weeding proceeding in parts. Standing crops fair to good. Harvested paddy and indigo; cutturn fair to normal; cumbu, bad to normal. Pasture sufficient; fodder available. Condition of cattle generally good, but rinderpest and epizootic aphtha prevail in parts. Employment available. Grain-stocks sufficient. Prospects good.

CHINGLEPUT.

Water-supply sufficient. Breaches in 13 tanks in Madurantakam taluk. Ploughing; sowing of paddy, horsegram, groundnut and indigo and transplantation and weeding of paddy proceeding in parts. Standing crops fair, but paddy crops severely damaged by the cyclone in one taluk. Harvested paddy and groundnut; cutturn fair. Pasture sufficient; fodder available. Condition of cattle generally good, but malignant sorethroat prevails in one village. Employment available. Grain-stocks sufficient. Prospects fair.

MADRAS.

Employment available. Grain-stocks sufficient.

SOUTH ARCOT.

Water-supply sufficient. Slight freshes in three rivers. Irrigation works damaged in three taluks owing to recent cyclone. Ploughing; sowing and transplantation of paddy and weeding of paddy, ragi, varagu and cholam proceeding. Standing crops generally fair, but paddy, varagu, indigo, betel and sugarcane affected by the cyclone in three taluks. Harvested groundnut, indigo and ragi; cutturn fair. Pasture sufficient; fodder available, but scanty in one taluk. Condition of cattle generally good, but over 5,000 killed by recent cyclone. One thousand and two hundred human lives lost by same cause. Employment available. Grain-stocks sufficient. Prospects generally fair.

CHITTOOR.

Water-supply sufficient except in parts. Ploughing; sowing of paddy commencing or proceeding. Transplantation of paddy proceeding or concluding. Standing crops generally fair. Harvested paddy, ragi, cumbu, sugarcane, indigo and groundnut; cutturn fair to normal. Pasture generally sufficient; fodder generally available. Condition of cattle generally good. Employment available. Grain-stocks generally sufficient. Prospects generally fair.

NORTH ARCOT.

Water-supply sufficient except in parts of one taluk. Ploughing; sowing of paddy, horsegram and cholam and transplantation and weeding of paddy proceeding. Standing crops generally good. Harvested paddy, groundnut, indigo, cholam and ragi; cutturn fair. Pasture sufficient; fodder available. Condition of cattle generally good. Employment available. Grain-stocks sufficient. Prospects fair.

SALEM.

Water-supply sufficient. Ploughing; sowing of paddy, horsegram and cholam and transplantation of paddy and ragi commencing, proceeding or concluding. Standing crops fair to good. Harvested ragi, groundnut, paddy and cumbu; cutturn fair to normal. Pasture sufficient; fodder available. Condition of cattle generally good. Employment available. Grain-stocks sufficient. Prospects fair.

COIMBATORE.

Water-supply sufficient. Ten feet of water in the Cauvery at Erode. Sowing of cholam, cotton, pulses, horsegram and bengalgram and transplantation of paddy and tobacco proceeding in parts. Standing crops fair. Harvested paddy and sugarcane, outturn fair to normal; ragi, cumbu, samai and groundnut, poor to normal. Pasture sufficient; fodder available. Condition of cattle good. Employment available. Grain-stocks sufficient. Prospects fair.

TRICHINOPOLY.

Water-supply sufficient. Flow over the Grand Anaikat 8 feet. Sowing and transplantation of paddy proceeding in parts. Standing crops fair. Harvested paddy, ragi, cholam, cumbu and ground-nut; outturn fair to normal. Pasture sufficient; fodder available. Condition of cattle good. Employment available. Grain-stocks sufficient. Prospects fair.

TANJORE.

(Not received.)

PUDUKKOTTAI

Water-supply insufficient in parts. Standing crops fair but withering in parts for want of rain. Harvested ground-nut; outturn fair. Pasture sufficient; fodder available. Condition of cattle good. Employment available. Grain-stocks sufficient. Prospects fair.

MADURA.

Water-supply sufficient except in parts. Average discharge from the Periyar main canal 1,747 cusecs. Ploughing; sowing of paddy, horsegram and cholam and transplantation of paddy and weeding proceeding in parts. Standing crops fair, but more rain required. Harvested paddy, ragi, cholam and cumbu; outturn poor to fair. Pasture sufficient; fodder available. Condition of cattle generally good. Employment available. Grain-stocks generally sufficient. Prospects good.

RAMNAD.

Water-supply sufficient except in parts. Ploughing; and transplantation, proceeding or concluding, sowing commencing, proceeding or concluding; weeding commencing or proceeding. Standing crops fair to good. Harvested ragi; outturn fair. Pasture sufficient, fodder available. Condition of cattle generally good. Employment available. Grain-stocks sufficient. Prospects fair.

TINNEVELLY.

Water-supply sufficient except under rain-fed tanks. Flow over Srivaikuntam anaikat 2·5 feet. Ploughing and manuring; sowing of dry crops, transplantation and weeding of paddy proceeding in parts. Standing crops good. Harvested ragi; outturn fair. Pasture sufficient, fodder available. Condition of cattle generally good. Employment available, grain-stocks sufficient. Prospects fair.

MALABAR.

Water-supply sufficient. Standing crops good. Pasture sufficient; fodder available. Condition of cattle generally good. Employment available. Grain-stocks sufficient. Prospects fair.

SOUTH CANARA.

Water-supply sufficient. Ploughing, sowing and transplanting for second crop nearing completion. Standing crops fair. Harvested paddy; outturn fair. Pasture sufficient; fodder available. Condition of cattle generally good. Employment available. Grain-stocks sufficient. Prospects fair.

TRAVANCORE.

Water-supply and pasturage sufficient. Condition of cattle good.

COCHIN.

Water-supply sufficient. Standing crops fair. Pasture sufficient; fodder available. Condition of cattle good.

THE NILGIRIS.

Water-supply sufficient. Sowing and weeding of main crops concluding. Standing crops fair. Harvested tea and coffee; outturn fair. Pasture sufficient; fodder available. Condition of cattle good. Employment available. Grain-stocks sufficient. Prospects fair.

SEASON TELEGRAM TO THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, REVENUE AND AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT, DELHI.

Week ending 2nd December 1916.—Rainfall good Nellore, South Arcot, Ramnad, Tinnevelly and Travancore; fair Chingleput, Coimbatore, Trichinopoly, Pudukkottai, Cochin and Nilgiris; light or nil elsewhere. Standing crops fair to good generally except in parts of four districts where they have been affected by floods or cyclone and in parts of another where they require more rain. Harvests of paddy, sugarcane and dry crops proceeding normally; outturn fair to normal generally. Sowings of paddy and dry crops proceeding normally. Condition of cattle generally good but considerable loss of cattle and human lives reported from South Arcot owing to recent cyclone. Water-supply insufficient in parts of Anantapur, Chittoor, North Arcot and South except Tanjore; sufficient elsewhere. Pasture sufficient; fodder generally available. Prices slightly risen.

DEPT. OF REV. SECT., SUR., LAND REDS. & AGRI.,
BOARD OF REVENUE, MADRAS,
5th December 1916.

T. RAGHAVIAH,
Secretary.

RAINFALL AND PRICES OF THE STAPLE FOOD-GRAINS FOR THE WEEK ENDING 2nd DECEMBER 1916.

District.			Rainfall in inches				Price in Seers (or 80 tolas) per Rupee											
			In the week.		Up to the end of the week from 1st April		Rice			Ragi.			Cholam.			Cumbu.		
			1916	Average of 25 years ending 1915	1916.	Average of 25 years ending 1915.	Average for Dec.	Last week.	This week.	Average for Dec.	Last week.	This week.	Average for Dec.	Last week.	This week.	Average for Dec	Last week.	This week.
Circars	Ganjam	..	..	0·2	50·7	45·3	9·6	7·0	9·1	18·8	16·7	15·8	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Vizagapatam	A.	0·2	0·1	58·5	57·7	9·6	7·7	7·7	18·0	15·6	16·0	..	14·8	14·8	18·0	17·0	17·0
		L.	..	0·2	43·1	37·2												
	Godavari	..	0·1	0·3	58·9	59·6	12·1	8·1	8·1	17·6	16·2	16·3	17·8	14·2	14·0	..	17·4	17·2
	Kistna	..	0·2	0·3	56·0	61·5	9·4	7·7	7·8	16·7	13·4	13·8	14·0	12·1	12·1	..	14·0	13·5
	Guntur	..	0·3	0·4	50·1	50·3	10·0	7·6	7·5	..	16·3	14·6	16·6	11·7	11·6	17·0	12·2	12·1
Deccan	Kurnool	..	..	0·2	47·3	23·6	8·6	7·7	7·7	..	15·5	14·5	16·1	13·1	13·0	15·6	14·0	13·5
	Bangalapalle	..	..	† 0·2	47·6	† 32·9	..	6·0	6·0	..	..	..	..	13·0	13·6	..	13·0	13·0
	Bellary	..	0·2	0·1	53·2	22·4	8·2	7·6	7·6	..	19·5	19·6	17·3	13·4	17·4	..	..	..
	Sandur	..	..	† 0·1	37·3	† 27·5	..	8·1	8·1	..	..	..	..	19·1	18·6	..	..	..
	Anantapur	..	..	0·3	32·1	21·0	9·1	8·2	8·3	19·2	16·6	16·7	18·0	15·1	15·2	18·7	18·3	15·4
	Cuddapah	..	..	0·6	49·2	24·7	8·4	7·7	7·7	17·2	14·6	14·1	17·0	13·7	13·4	18·6	14·9	14·6
Carnatic	Nellore	..	1·5	1·5	36·3	29·2	10·4	8·8	8·8	18·4	14·0	13·7	16·7	12·6	12·7	16·3	12·6	12·1
	Chingleput	..	0·6	2·2	43·3	38·7	9·1	7·9	7·9	15·7	14·4	14·2	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Madras	..	0·3	2·0	41·4	42·6	7·7	6·6	6·6	14·5	12·8	12·8	..	..	..	..	..	..
	South Arcot	..	1·1	1·6	49·2	38·2	8·8	7·3	7·1	14·8	13·2	12·8	..	..	..	14·6	12·4	..
Central	Chittoor	..	..	1·2	35·8	28·6	9·8	8·8	8·7	17·3	15·0	15·0	..	..	..	16·7	13·8	14·8
	North Arcot	..	0·1	1·8	40·6	36·8	8·2	8·1	8·1	16·6	14·4	14·2	..	..	..	16·0	14·3	14·0
	Salem ..	..	0·3	0·7	42·8	34·1	8·7	7·7	7·7	15·7	13·4	13·4	14·2	12·8	12·4	16·9	13·1	12·2
	Coimbatore	..	0·8	0·5	28·6	24·2	8·4	7·1	7·0	16·5	15·0	15·1	16·4	13·0	13·0	16·5	14·2	14·0
	Trichinopoly	..	0·6	0·6	31·4	28·5	9·1	7·3	7·2	16·6	14·0	14·0	16·8	14·8	14·8	18·0	12·8	12·1
South	Tanjore	..	..	1·8	..	34·0	8·7	7·8	..	16·3	14·8	..	..	..	..	..	15·3	..
	Pudukkottai	..	0·7	1·2	28·3	27·2	..	6·7	6·8	..	13·5	13·3	..	13·8	13·9	..	14·7	13·4
	Madura	..	0·4	0·8	28·6	20·6	8·6	7·1	7·1	16·9	13·7	13·6	14·2	13·3	14·0	13·0	11·7	11·9
	Ramnad	..	1·0	1·4	25·0	24·6	8·7	7·5	7·5	15·7	13·8	13·6	14·6	13·4	13·2	12·4	11·8	11·2
	Tinnevelly	..	2·4	2·3	47·7	30·8	8·8	7·6	7·5	17·0	14·8	14·2	14·6	12·8	12·6	12·8	10·8	10·6
West Coast	Malabar	..	0·3	0·5	120·8	115·7	8·8	7·6	7·7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	South Canara	..	..	0·6	159·4	141·6	10·1	7·8	7·7	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Travancore	..	2·8	1·0	70·5	61·5	..	7·4	7·4	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
	Cochin	..	0·7	† 0·8	115·9	† 108·2	..	7·0	7·0	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Hills	The Nilgiris	..	0·7	0·8	66·5	67·6	7·3	6·9	6·9	13·9	12·3	12·8	..	..	..	..	..	..

A = Agency. L = Littoral. * Average of the 16 years ending 1915–16. † Average of 10 years.

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